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SAGER AFRAID GIRL SOLD HIM A GOLD BRICK

Effie Goldstein, Brought Here at Public Expense, Fails to Call.

WROTE OF POLICE GRAFT

Promised to Tell About "Clearing House" She Conducted in Flat.

DIDN'T NAME POLICEMEN

Circuit Attorney Now Fears Railroad Ticket Was All She Wanted.

Effie Goldstein, the woman whose tale to Circuit Attorney Sager of a clearing house for women thieves and corrupt policemen at her Market street flat, was the basis for his official statement that $1,000,000, of which policemen received $200,000, was stolen in the Bad Lands during the World's Fair, failed to keep her promise to return to his office Saturday. He doesn't know where to find her, and in view of the fact that he paid her expenses from Yazoo, Miss., he fears Miss Goldstein may have "sold him a gold brick."

Mr. Sager says he now has doubts about the three policemen who went to his office Friday and, failing to see him because he was giving audience to Miss Goldstein, departed without leaving their names, remarking to others in the ante-room that they had come to tell of orders from their superiors not to molest certain panel-workers, including May Harrington.

Got Transportation Here.

Effie came to town Friday on a ticket and expense money sent to her by Mr. Sager after she had written to him, saying she could tell a lot about deals between policemen and panel-workers. She unfolded a tale in his office about things in the Bad Lands, but abstained from mentioning the names of policemen. She was subpenaed to appear Monday before the grand jury, and promised to call on Mr. Sager Saturday morning again. But Saturday morning passed and she did not appear.

Early in the graft investigation somebody told Mr. Sager that Effie knew things. It was mentioned in the newspapers that Mr. Sager would like to hear from Effie.

Down in Yazoo Effie read about it. She wrote to Mr. Sager that he was making no mistake in looking for her as a witness. She gave it as her opinion that as a grand jury witness she would be a great success. She knew everything worth knowing about the relation between panel workers and policemen. Hadn't she seen with her own eyes the panel workers and policemen dividing the spoils? If Mr. Sager would sent her railroad ticket and expense money, she would take the first train for St. Louis.

Didn't Name Policemen.

The letter looked convincing to Mr. Sager. He sent her the ticket and money. She took the first train all right and Friday afternoon she tripped into the Four Courts and introduced herself to Mr. Sager.

Her revelations were very interesting, but she held out the names of the policemen. She said she would give them later. After she had been supenaed to go before the grand jury and had promised to come back Saturday morning, she went away, and Mr. Sager gave out an official statement covering the conversation.

While she did not come somebody suggested that she might have imposed on him. "Maybe she has," he said thoughtfully. "I didn't ever expect to see her again."

The woman is said to have been run out of town by the police several months ago, but as a grand jury witness she will be immune from interference from them.

Mr. Sager declined Saturday to say how much money he sent the woman.

Said She Was Scapegoat.

Effie Goldstein related that the "clearing-house" at 2106 Market street, where she rented rooms, was made the rendezvous of panel workers and policemen with whom they were to divide the proceeds of their thefts, and that she acted as a "dummy" for false arrests, being taken to Four Courts in place of the other women when victims complained to the police, and her fines in police court being paid by the real offenders. On such occasions, she said, she gave the name of Ethel Schafer.

Two Sergeants, according to Effie Goldstein, refused to accept any share in the spoils.

It was customary, Effie told Mr. Sager, for women of Ollie Roberts' class, to keep a record of the amounts they got from victims, amounts paid for protection, and dates. She said she knew Ollie Roberts only by reputation, never having seen her, but having often heard that she had her part of the Bad Lands "fixed."

Mamie White, May Harrington, Maggie Gieke and "Bud" Fawcett were among the habitues of the Market street flat she said. The flat was frequently raided by the police, she said, but never when the culprit really wanted was present.

St. Louis has more Post-Dispatch readers every day than it has homes.

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UMBRELLAS FOR SUNDAY

Temperature Will Be Above the Freezing Point.



Overcoats will hardly be required except as protection against the threatening weather Saturday night and Sunday, but umbrellas will be useful during Saturday and Sunday. The lowest temperature will be 4 degrees above the freezing point, with southerly winds tempering the weather.

The forecast: Threatening weather tonight and Sunday, with light rains and moderate temperature. Southern winds. The minimum temperature Saturday night will be 36 degrees.

The temperature has increased in nearly all sections of the United States. The same conditions which have caused the unsettled weather will continue during Saturday and Sunday. The lowest temperature Friday night was 33 degrees.

FINES COUNSEL FOR GREENE AND GAYNOR

Savannah Judge Imposes $100 on Lawyer for Contempt of Court.

SAYS REMARKS IMPROPER

Judge Speer Declares He Will Not Stand Innuendos and Insults.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Jan. 13.—The pleas in abatement to indictments Nos. 476 and 477 against Greene and Gaynor were read this morning soon after the convening of the Federal Court. The defendants' counsel argued that the grand jurors were illegally drawn and had no right to return indictments.

Special Assistant Attorney-General Marion Erwin read the Government's demurrer to these pleas. He responded that the grand jury had been legally drawn because what is now the southwestern division at the time the offenses were committed was embraced in the eastern division and that the jury box was prepared properly.

When Mr. Erwin concluded his argument A. A. Lawrence of counsel for the accused arose to read a written reply. Then came a sensation. Judge Speer caught language in the argument that he construed as contempt and promptly fined Mr. Lawrence $100.

Mr. Lawrence was arguing that the court had exceeded its rights in the appointment of the special jury commissioners, one of whom was T. F. Johnson, clerk of the court, and the other W. S. West of Valdosta, who has lately been engaged in a bitter political controversy with W. W. Osborne, Mr. Lawrence's law partner. The language of Mr. Lawrence to which the Court took exception was as follows:

"One circumstance alone in the case serves to illustrate more powerfully than I can hope to do by words the possibilities for wrong and injustice opened up by this extraordinary innovation into what we conceive to be the law of procedure. It is a curious coincidence that in the case at bar the Court, unwittingly, of course, appointed as a jury commissioner a gentleman who was at that time and still is an open public and notoriously avowed enemy of the defendant's counsel.

"Whether or not this has been to his prejudice in this particular case we are not prepared to say."

Judge Speer awaited Mr. Lawrence's conclusion of the passage and said: "Mr. Lawrence: Your remarks are exceedingly improper and out of order. The court has no knowledge that he appointed as a jury commissioner who at that time and still is an avowed enemy of one of defendants' counsel. Enter a fine of $100 against Mr. Lawrence for contempt of court.

"The gentleman appointed as commissioner as appointed is one of the most intelligent and upright men in Southwestern Georgia, a prominent member of the opposite political party to that to which the clerk belongs. He is president of the Georgia Senate and ex-Lieutenant-Governoh of the State of Georgia. After due inquiry the court believed him to be the best man and therefore the court appointed him to fill that position, and this court will not tolerate innuendoes and insults by counsel in its presence."

Mr. Lawrence calmly concluded his argument after the imposition of the fine, making no apology for the language employed. Judge Speer then announced a recess to consider the matters presented.

HUNTER KILLS BOY COMPANION

Exonerated by Coroner's Jury After Accidental Shooting Near Carmi, Ill.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CARMI, Ill., Jan. 13.—While out hunting late yesterday, near New Haven, a village about 15 miles south of here, Thomas Medlin, 21, was accidentally shot and instantly killed by John Goodman, with whom he was shooting squirrels.

Medlin's jugular vein was severed and he bled to death. Goodman rushed into town and surrendered.

Coroner Jones held an inquest this morning and Goodman was exonerated.

WOMAN'S SUIT FOR HOWARD'S ESTATE FAILS

Judge Crews Denounces Mrs. Leafgreen's Claim as Unwarranted.

HER LAWYER TO APPEAL

Court Expresses Indignation at Attempt on Girl's Inheritance.

HER STORY DISBELIEVED

Wife of Husband's Former Employer Aided in Upsetting Claim.

Mrs. Mary Almeda Leafgreen, in a decision handed down by Probate Judge Crews Saturday, is declared to have no legal title to any portion of the $500,000 estate of Laclede J. Howard, wealthy firebrick manufacturer, who died intestate April 4, 1903. Mrs. Leafgreen sued for a widow's share of the estate, alleging that she married Howard at Decatur, Ill., in 1883. She said she knew him there as Charley Howard, a cigar maker.

Attorney John J. O'Connor, representing Mrs. Leafgreen, said after the decision that the case would be appealed to Circuit Court.

During the trial of the suit Harry B. Hawes, of counsel for the defense, said that the evidence in the case would probably be submitted to the grand jury.

Her suit was filed May 12 last, Garrard Strode, then public administrator, being named as defendant.

The case was long and stubbornly fought, members of the law firm of Johnson, Houts, Marlatt & Hawes representing Mr. Strode and Attorney John J. O'Connor appearing for Mrs. Leafgreen.

The search for witnesses to refute the claim against the Howard estate extended across the continent. Mrs. Josephine Thiele of St. Louis traveled 3300 miles to identify Thomas Jefferson Miller, Mayor of Tumwater, Wash., as the "Charley Howard" to whom Mrs. Leafgreen, then Mary Almeda Moore, was married at Decatur after a short courtship at Palmer, Ill.

The failure of Mrs. Leafgreen to prove that Laclede J. Howard, even then a wealthy capitalist, had any reason for masquerading as an itinerant cigar maker at Palmer was regarded as a fatally weak point in her case.

Judge Condemns Her.

In summing up his opinion, Judge Crews said:

"Our laws are most liberal and our courts zealous in protection of a widow's rights. They accord her privileges and immunities not granted the ordinary litigant. This generous spirit of the law should always be requited with an equal degree of candor and good faith.

"I cannot refrain from expressing the conviction that this claim has been prosecuted wholly without these qualities; that it is founded upon flimsy pretexts, and is an unwarranted assault upon the property of the estate and upon the good name of an innocent child."

The child referred to is Marian Frances Howard, 13-year-old daughter of Laclede J. Howard. Mrs. Howard, who was Miss Helen Flad, daughter of Mrs. Caroline Flad, survived her husband only a few weeks. Mrs. Flad has been the child's guardian since May 22, 1903.

The administration of the estate was carried on in the ordinary course, on the presumption that Laclede J. Howard and Helen Howard were lawfully wedded. Judge Crews finds that this action was entirely justified.

More than 60 witnesses were examined. The evidence showed that Mary Almeda Moore of Palmer, Ill., married a man known to her as Charley Howard, but that he obtained the marriage license under the name of Henry Howard.

Neighbor Her Nemesis.

This man worked as a cigarmaker in the shop of the husband of Mrs. Josephine Thiele, who, by a strange fate, after a lapse of many years, became the Nemesis of Mrs. Leafgreen in St. Louis.

Neither woman knew that the other was here until the suit against the Howard estate was filed. Mrs. Thiele's casual remark to a lawyer that she knew the claimant led to her journey to Tumwater, Wash., where she positively identified the Mayor of that little sawmill town as the cigarmaker whose marriage to Mary Moore 22 years before, had been made the basis for litigation involving the estate of the St. Louis capitalist.

Miller himself, though he had since married again, acknowledged the union with Mary Moore, explaining his use of the name Howard by saying that he used it because he was at the time a deserter from the army and was attempting to conceal his identity. He said he supposed then that the marriage was illegal because he used an assumed name.

When he learned that the Illinois tie was binding, he filed against Mrs. Leafgreen a suit for divorce, which is pending.

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ST. LOUIS GIRL, WHO IS DEFENDING $350,000 ESTATE OF FORMER HUSBAND, AND HER PRESENT HUSBAND



HADLEY IS CHEERED IN SUPREME COURT

Lawyers, Stirred by Missouri Attorney-General's Eloquent Appeal to Force Rogers to Answer His Questions, Wildly Applaud While Justice Vainly Wields His Gavel.

(By a Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—For the first time in the memory of the oldest attache of the New York bar, a lawyer was cheered in the Supreme Court here this morning, when Attorney-General Herbert S. Hadley pleaded with Justice Gildersleeve to order the magnates of the Standard Oil Co. to answer his questions in the Missouri ouster proceedings before Commissioner Sanborn.

Moved by the eloquence of Hadley's speech in support of his contention that the questions are relevant, blase corporation lawyers arose and applauded the youthful Attorney-General until Justice Gildersleeve nearly broke his gavel in his efforts to restore order. It was a scene probably without a parallel in the history of high tribunals.

Justice Gildersleeve himself was visibly affected. He adjourned the hearing of arguments until Monday morning, when he probably will announce his decision.

Hadley scored a tremendous triumph in his argument and, although the Trust lawyers got a further vacation until Monday morning, it appears almost certain that Mr. Rogers will have to go on the stand before Commissioner Sanborn again on Monday and answer without any display of humor the questions Mr. Hadley wants him to answer.

Hadley's speech in favor of his contention that his questions to Rogers are material, was a gem.

It was so good that it even woke up the immense audience of corporation lawyers, and he was applauded until Justice Gildersleeve nearly broke his gavel.

Audience Applauds.

It was the first time in the memory of the oldest court attendants that any speech in the Supreme Court had vitality and humanity enough in it to bring the auditors' hands together.

Mr. Hadley had only Mr. Wollman with him, but the other side was out in force with a new figure (Mr. W. J. Curtis of Cromwell and Sullivan) on the side.

Mr. Curtis talked, Mr. Hageman talked and, of course, Mr. Rowe talked. Messrs. Elliot, Eddy, Johnson and Victor sat still, but added materially to the imposing array against the boyish Attorney-General.

All the arguments were technical and tiresome, the Standard Oil persons trying to convince the Justice that the question as to the relevancy of Mr. Hadley's questionings was now before the Supreme Court of Missouri, and that, in courtesy to that body no further proceedings should be had until the decision of the Missouri court.

Mr. Hadley showed that the matter of the relevancy of the questions had long ago been settled by Judge Anthony and the Supreme Court of Missouri, and he plainly made a great hit with Justice Gildersleeve.

It looked for a while as if the Justice would decide off-hand that Mr. Rogers must answer, but Mr. Rowe pleaded so hard for a delay till Monday morning that he gained his point.

Mr. Rowe's attempts to have the examination session set for this afternoon stopped, however, failed lamentably. It is on the cards that William G. Rockefeller will be the witness called.

Formal Answer of Rogers.

William V. Rowe, filed the formal answer of Mr. Rogers, in which he asserted that the questions are immaterial, that the question of their admissibility is pending in the Missouri courts, that there is no legal authority for the hearing which Mr. Hadley has been holding in this city, and that the questions were not asked for purposes of public policy, but to get notoriety for Mr. Hadley. It included also complaint that photographers and artists were given a free hand at the hearing.

Frank Hagerman of Kansas City, representing the three respondent oil companies, said the attempt to discover the stock ownership of the respondent companies was immaterial. Attorney-General Hadley brought the proceedings, he said, under a legal statute the legality of which the respondents challenged. The secretary of the Republic Oil Co. was requested to bring the stock into the Missouri court and the question was

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EXPECTS TO WIN HER $350,000 SUIT

Mrs. Marie Fleming-Everest-Brown-Eastes Attends Taking of Depositions.

LATE HUSBAND'S ESTATE

His Mother Seeks the Property, Trying to Disprove Legal Marriage.

Mrs. Marie Fleming-Everest-Brown-Eastes, whose right to the $350,000 estate left by her husband, Henry Brown, nephew of a celebrated Denver hotel proprietor, is being contested by Brown's stepmother, Mrs. Sarah N. Johnston, said Saturday that in view of the depositions taken in the past few days, she felt sure that she would win the case.

Mrs. Johnston in her petition alleges that Mrs. Eastes' marriage to Brown was illegal. She avers that in July, 1899, Mrs. Eastes, then Marie Everest, contracted common-law marriage with one Oscar Elmo, now a traveling salesman for a dry goods company of St. Louis.

Dr. Thomas A. Hopkins and two others, who claim to have witnessed the ceremony, have already testified in behalf of the plaintiff.

When the depositions were resumed before Notary Franklin Miller in the office of Attorney Morton Jourdan in the Security Building, E. L. Becker, assistant freight claim agent of the Wabash Railroad Co., was placed on the stand.

Not Known as Elmo's Wife.

He testified that he had known Mrs. Eastes for many years. During this acquaintance he had never heard her spoken of as the wife of Oscar Elmo.

She was known as Marie Everest at the time she married Brown, he said.

Dr. William Conrad, Charles A. Forse and S. A. Lederer testified along the same lines.

Mrs. Johnston is represented by the firm of Johnson, Houts, Marlatt & Johnson. Morton Jourdan of St. Louis and E. L. Stephenson of Denver are looking after Mrs. Eastes' interests.

Mrs. Eastes was present at the hearing, but her husband, J Clark Eastes, remained in another room. He is 30 years old, tall, dark-complexioned and muscular. He married the young woman who now bears his name within a month following the death of her first husband. Eastes is a stock dealer and divides his time between the stockyards in East St. Louis and Chicago.

Mrs. Eastes is a handsome young woman of 21, of slight figure, rather spare and with a small piquant face. She apparently enjoyed the proceedings. Throughout the hearing she often jested with her attorneys and smiled merrily when some point in the testimony struck her fancy.

At the request of Attorney Stephenson, who was called to Denver on urgent business, the hearings were continued Saturday. Mr. Jourdan said the depositions would be resumed probably within the next ten days.

YOUTH STRANGLES SOCIETY WOMAN TO DEATH WITH WIRE

Young Carpenter Reports to Police Discovery of a Woman's Body Lying on Refuse Heap in His Back Yard and Later Confesses He Himself Choked Her to Death.

HUSBAND'S NIGHT SEARCH FOR WIFE

Mrs. Bessie Hollister, Society Woman and Church Singer, Casually Passing Young Man's Shop, Is Attacked and Pulled in and Resistance Is Met With Death.

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—Mrs. Bessie Hollister, 30 years old, wife of Franklin C. Hollister of the printing firm of Hollister Brothers, one of the largest concerns of its kind in the city, was murdered last night by Richard Ivins, 24 years of age, who had attempted to assault her.

The body of Mrs. Hollister was found this morning lying on a pile of stable refuse in the rear of the Ivins residence, at 368 Belden avenue. Around the neck was twisted a fine copper wire, and death had been caused by strangulation.

Ivins Confesses.

Ivins, who pretended to find the body, and reported the fact of the murder to the police, confessed the crime shortly after he had been taken into custody.

His statement to the police, in effect, was that he was at work in his carpenter shop, which stands but a short distance from the place where the body was found this morning, and that when Mrs. Hollister passed by he attacked her, and when she resisted he dragged her into the carpenter shop and killed her by twisting the wire around her neck.

He then went home and remained there all night.

This morning he went to the barn ostensibly to perform some work, and, pretending to find the body, rushed into the house and reported to his father, and later to the police, that the body of a woman was lying in the heap of refuse near the barn.

Says He Was Drunk.

Ivins, in his confession, claimed that he was drunk at the time of the crime, but this is denied by his own mother, who says that he came into the house and ate his supper while perfectly sober. Ivins had previously borne a good reputation.

The wire was of the character usually handled by telegraph linemen and was not over one-thirty-second of an inch in diameter. It had been insulated at one time, but the insulation had been scraped off. In the front it had been caught by the sealskin collarette worn by Mrs. Hollister, but in the back it had been brought against the flesh with such force that it was deeply imbedded in the muscles.

Mrs. Hollister left her home yesterday afternoon to attend the funeral of a friend, Mrs. Emma Semple, at 172 Seminary avenue, not far from the Hollister residence.

Plans for a Busy Day.

When she left the house she carried with her a small clock which she said she intended to leave at a jeweler's for repairs, and she also intended to stop at a florist's and order some flowers to be sent to the funeral. That was the last seen of her by any of her friends. The flowers she ordered arrived at the funeral, but Mrs. Hollister did not appear. After waiting until 7 o'clock Hollister informed the police of his wife's disappearance and an all-night search was instituted which resulted in nothing.

This morning the police were notified that the body was in the Ivins yard. As soon as the patrol wagon had arrived at the spot a crowd gathered, among its members being Geo. Congdon, choirmaster at the Wesley Methodist Episcopal Church, where Mrs. Hollister sang. He at once identified the body as that of Mrs. Hollister, and it was removed to an undertaking establishment and her husband notified.

Resisted Strangler Desperately.

Judging from the appearance of her clothing, Mrs. Hollister had made a desperate fight before she was killed. Her long hair was torn loose and tangled as if it had been pulled violently down, the front of her silk waist had been torn open and the glove of her right hand was passing. Three rings, which she usually wore on this hand, were gone. Other small articles of jewelry, which she had worn at the time of leaving the house, had been taken.

No Clew for Police.

Following as closely as it did upon the murder of Mrs. Gentry and the escape of the murderer, the killing of Mrs. Hollister roused the police to desperation. Every available officer was at once placed at work on the case. Ivins and his father were sweathed vigorously and the young man broke down and confessed.

Mrs. Hollister was 30 years old, a woman of great personal charm, handsome, and had for years been prominent because of her fine voice, which was considered to be of extraordinary quality. She frequently appeared at musical entertainments in different parts of the city.

GRANDSON WANTS NEW TRUSTEES

Suit Involves Over One-Sixth of $1,500,000 Peck Estate.

More than $260,000 of the $1,500,000 bequeathed to various heirs by the late Charles H. Peck is alleged to have been misused or improperly handled, in a suit in which William J. Peck, aged 27, grandson and one of the heirs, in Circuit Court, asks that the trustees named in the will be removed.

Stephen Peck, one of the defendants, denies the statements contained in the petition, saying that William J. Peck has never paid any attention to the management of the estate since he became old enough to participate in it two years ago. Since that time, Stephen says, young Peck has received his portion of the income.

Two Warrants for Robbery.

Henry Mund of 3518 West Eighteenth street complained to the police that he had been robbed in a room at 1406 Pine street. Warrants have been issued for Jessie Wynolt, charged with the robbery, and T. H. Brown, a barber, charged with receiving stolen property. Mund says he lost $96 and $95 was found in the shop at Fifteenth and Chestnut streets, where Brown was employed.

Charles Golding a Bankrupt.

Charles Golding of 512 Franklin avenue Saturday filed a petition in voluntary bankruptcy, alleging inability to pay debts amounting $3166.74. His assets consist of a stock of general merchandise valued at $610, wearing apparel said to be worth $25 and fixtures valued at $325. He asks exemption in the sum of $325. Golding's creditors are merchants in St. Louis, New York and Chicago.

ACTORS' SPECIAL HITS A FREIGHT

Several Members of Little Johnny Jones Company Hurt, One Seriously.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 13.—The general officers of the Louisville & Nashville road here have been advised that in a collision between a freight and a special carrying the "Little Johnny Jones" company near Repton, Ala., this morning several members of the company were injured and one of them seriously hurt.

They have received no names. The train was bound from Selma to Pensacola.

FACH CASE CONTINUED.

Divorced Wife Says She's Now Common-Law Wife.

The case of Elvira M. Fach, who has instituted suit for the appointment of a receiver to take charge of the estate of her divorced husband, Theodore Fach, was called before Circuit Judge McElhinney at Clayton Saturday.

The defense was granted until Jan. 16 in which to file its answer to the plaintiff's petition.

Elvira Fach sets up the unusual claim that she is now the common-law wife of Theodore Fach and as such she is entitled to share in his estate. She asserts that Fach, who lives in Oakland, St. Louis County, has an income of $300 per month. Further, the petition alleges that Fach is a spendthrift, and the plaintiff wants an administrator appointed to take charge of his financial affairs.

FREE BRIDGE VICTORY IN HOSTILE COUNCIL

Three and One-Half Million to Smash Bridge Arbitrary, Biggest Item in $11,000,000 Bond Issue, to Be Voted on As a Unit May 9 if Delegates and Mayor Approve.

ITEMS OF BOND ISSUE TO BE SUBMITTED TO VOTERS MAY 9

1. CONSTRUCTION OF A FREE MUNICIPAL BRIDGE	$3,500,000
2. Extension of Jail, Court buildings and police headuarters	2,000,000
3. Extension of public sewers	1,500,000
4. Extension of bridges and viaducts	1,000,000
5. Extension of hospitals	800,000
6. Extensions and additions to insane asylum	800,000
7. Laying our of parks	670,000
8. Construction of King's Highway boulevard	500,000
9. Fire department buildings	230,000
TOTAL	$11,000,000

Under pressure of a public sentiment without precedent in the history of St. Louis, the City Council has passed a bill ordaining that a special election shall be held May 9, at which the people shall vote on nine provisions of an $11,000,000 bond issue as a unit, the largest sum being $3,500,000 for a Municipal Free Bridge.

The bill will have its first reading in the House of Delegates next Tuesday night. It is believed that the House will pass the bill within a month. It will then go to the Mayor for his approval. If Mayor Wells approves, the people of St. Louis will at last have the fate of the bridge arbitrary in their hands.

Practically Ziebold Bill.

The bill passed by the Council, although technically known as the amended Wells bill, is practically identical with the Ziebold bill, introduced by the free bridge advocates, which has been in pigeonholes of House and Council committees for several months.

The final vote on the bill stood 7 to 3. Cramer, Lesser, Linde, Marks, Rolfes, Thomson and Forman voted for the bill. Hitchock, who led the opposition to the unit vote and the free bridge clauses, was absent, having been called to New York to attend a funeral. Gardner and Lawlor, both of whom voted against adopting the two new amendments, were absent.

Davis, Ewing and Moeller voted against the bill.

The clause in the bond issue bill which provides for the free bridge reads as follows:

"For the construction of a municipal bridge for public use by railroads, street cars, vehicles of all kinds and pedestrians over and across the Mississippi River within the corporate limits of the City of St. Louis and the State of Illinois, and for the purchase of land to be used for approaches thereto in the construction and operation of said bridge in Missouri and Illinois, and which said bridge and approaches shall be and forever remain free of toll, and shall be and forever remain the property of the City of St. Louis, Mo., $3,500,000."

Free to Franchise Holders.

The phrase in the clause reading "said bridge and approaches shall be and forever remain free of toll" was interpreted by Charles F. Ziebold Saturday for the Post-Dispatch.

"This means," said Mr. Ziebold, "that the bridge will be just as free as the public highways and streets of St. Louis. Pedestrians and wagon drivers can use it the same as they would use Broadway.

"The railroads can use the bridge as the street car companies use the streets. They will have to obtain a franchise, of course. The city can in this manner safeguard itself. The ordinance granting the franchise can provide for a repeal of the franchise ordinance in case the railroad should attempt to establish an arbitrary charge.

"There is another ordinance now in force, which provides that street car companies should pay for the repairing of the street included between their tracks, one foot on either side. The city can make therailroads pay for this much of the expense incidental to maintaining traffic across the bridge. But all charges belonging to the bridge proper, repairing of bolts, spans and cables and watchmen's salaries will be borne solely by the city.

People's Will Prevails.

"The bridge arbitrary has been fighting for its life for several months. The action of the Council is the first vital stab the arbitrary has received. I am confident that the House will do the same. There is no doubt whatever what the people will do when it is put up to them.

"The Council's action proves two things, first that the people can get a thing if they want it very much, and second that the Councilmen, some of whom are hostile both to the free bridge and to the unit vote, recognized the will of the people."

The passing of the bill was unattended by strife. The expected conflict on the floor of the Council did not take place. There was a bitter fight, but it took place last Monday afternoon in a secret caucus. The result of this caucus, a majority for the bridge, was first told in the Post-Dispatch.

When President Forman called the Council to order at 4 p. m., an hour earlier than usual, a score of free bridge boomers were standing in the rear of the hall. In the gallery there were two dozen spectators. The Council had debated the bill so often that the public anticipated only the passing of amendments.

The councilmen on the floor who were pledged to the free bridge and unit vote clause had expressed themselves as anxious to pass the bill at that meeting even if it took until midnight. The secretaries announced that they were prepared to engross the amended bill within 40 minutes.

Recess Causes Disquiet.

There was much anxiety among the members of the Joint Free Bridge and Bond Issue Committee, who were present, in spite of the fact that several of the councilmen assured them that the bill would go through. As preliminary and routine business ate up the minutes, this anxiety grew, and was reflected in the actions of the spectators in the gallery, who leaned over the railing impatiently.

Half an hour after the Council convened the bill, which was reported by the Ways and Means Committee at the last session before the Christmas holidays, was read. Then a recess was taken that the Councilmen might decide on the amendments.

During the recess rumors were circulated in the Council chamber that the Councilmen had disagreed again and that a half dozen amendments would be introduced which would cut the bill to pieces. The Council reconvened a few minutes before 5 o'clock.

It was stated that the Council stood 8 to 4 on the Free Bridge proposition and 7 to 5 on the unit vote. It had been decided upon, however, that the two amendments would be voted on together.

Both the amendments were moved by Mr. Lesser. It was Mr. Lesser who called the secret meetings during the Christmas recess, when opinion among the Councilmen was so divided that it seemed the bill would never get through. And largely to his efforts was brought about the harmony which resulted in the passing of the bill.

There was some nervous applause after Mr. Lesser had moved the amendments. The vote was taken immediately.

The roll was then called. Mr. Cramer rose when his name was called. He made a short speech in which he referred to the volume of public sentiment for a Free Bridge. He said that the bridge was necessary to the development of New St. Louis.

During his speech the Free Bridge boomers on the Council floor crowded in closer to the desks of the Councilmen, and the spectators in the gallery listened attentively. The speech was applauded liberally.

The other members of the Council contented themselves with answering "Yes" or "No." Secretary Mockler called the roll very slowly, and each reply came amid dead silence.

"Seven ayes, five nays," called out the secretary.

The tension was broken. The Free Bridge boomers on the Council floor crowded around the Councilmen who had voted for the amendments and shook their hands enthusiastically. There was a rattle of applause in the gallery and several cheers were heard.

The bill was then voted to engrossment without rollcall after the secretaries had announced that they were prepared to finish the engrossment in less than an hour. Adjournment was taken until 6:30 o'clock, it being then 5:30.

Rolfes for Unit Vote.

When the Council convened after the recess, Gardner and Lawlor did not appear. The motion to send the bill to engrossment was reconsidered, owing to the discovery of a technical error in the bill. The bill was then properly amended and sent again to engrossment. Within ten minutes it was reported again, and the measure was finally placed upon its passage.

The roll call was then taken. When Mr. Moellman's name was called, he rose from his desk.

"As a member of the Ways and Means Committee," he said, "I am not and never was opposed to a municipal bridge. The members of the committee worked hard to get this bill into shape, and my vote tonight will sustain my position in this respect.

"As for the unit vote, I do not favor it, for I believe that the separate vote gives the citizen the real right of citizenship to say whether or not he favors each separate proposition. Therefore, I vote against the bill."

Mr. Rolfes, in explaining his vote, took occasion to answer Mr. Moellman. "They say the unit vote is not legal. When the last bond issue bill was up before the Municipal Assembly, two councilmen were sent East to get the highest legal opinion in the land as to the legality of a unit vote. It was declared to be legal then. I don't see why it is not legal now." Mr. Rolfes also spoke eloquently of the free bridge movement. The audience, relieved of all uncertain suspense, applauded enthusiastically.

Housewarming Scene.

When the roll call had been taken, and it was announced that the vote stood 7 for and 3 against the bill, councilmen, free bridge boomers, City Hall clerks and the gallery broke into loud cheers.

There was a sort of family party between the councilmen and the free bridge boomers. L. D. Kingsland shook the hand of every councilman, including those who had voted against the bill, at least twice. Mr. Ziebold and Mr. Barret were discovered in the anteroom of the Council chamber, each congratulating the other.

Members of the Free Bridge and Joint Committee expressed themselves Saturday as confident that the bill will go through the House with little opposition.

In case the Mayor should veto the bill, it would be defeated unless two of the opposition members of the Council changed sides.

A veto by the Mayor would require a two-thirds vote by the Municipal Assembly before the bill could be passed over his veto. This would mean nine votes in the Council.

Exposition Roller Rink, Thirteenth and Olive.
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JUST TO BE ROMANTIC.

East St. Louis Couple Eloped to St. Louis.

Miss Leonora Rudolph of 729 Pennsylvania avenue prevailed in her argument Saturday that a preacher and not a Justice of the Peace should wed her to A. F. LeGree, and the couple left East St. Louis marriage license office looking for a minister.

Mr. LeGree called at the office alone and asked for the license. Clerk Caughlan said he would have to bring the girl with him. In 10 minutes LeGree reappeared with a tall, pretty blond, whose first words were a request that secrecy be maintained about granting the license.

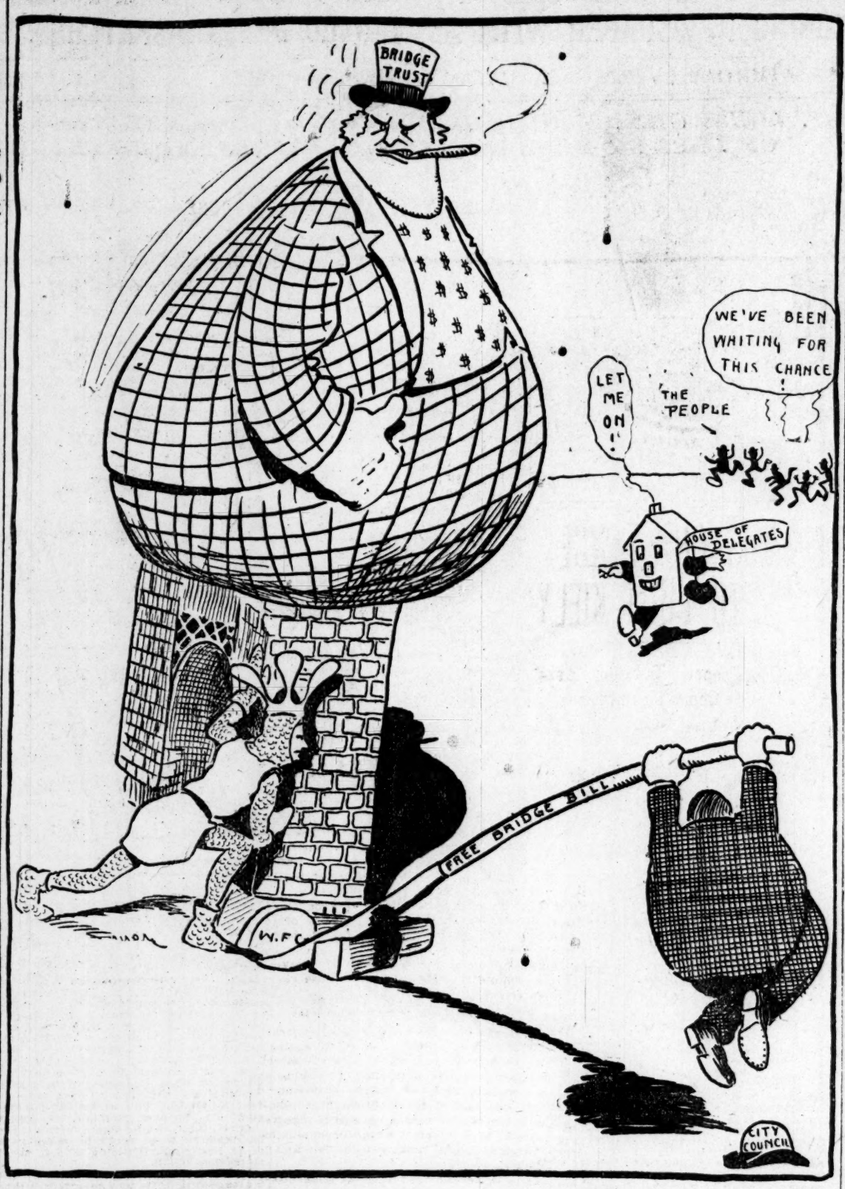
"We wouldn't have it known for anything," she explained.

LeGree is a locomotive fireman and lives at the Pennsylvania avenue address. When Miss Rudolph's parents separated, three months ago, she went to live with his parents, with whom she was well acquainted; she had never met the son.

It didn't take the two long to fall in love, and they decided Friday evening to elope to East St. Louis. Their only reason for secrecy, they said, was that it was so much more romantic. LeGree said they would leave Monday for Chicago to spend the honeymoon. He is 21 and the young lady 19.

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NO. 2.

ENDS LIFE TO AMUSE GUESTS

Schweitzer Thought It a Joke to Swallow Carbolic Acid.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 13.—Isidor Schweitzer, manager for a house furnishing firm, committed suicide last night in the presence of a room full of guests, invited to attend his farewell bachelor dinner. Schweitzer was to have been married next week. After the dinner, which was a merry affair, Schweitzer invited his guests into another room.

"I have a great joke in store for you," he said. He took a number of envelopes from a drawer and distributed them among his guests. While they were examining them and trying to solve their host's mysterious actions, Schweitzer picked up a bottle of carbolic acid and drank it.

He died before a doctor arrived.

The woman to whom Schweitzer was engaged was Mrs. Maud C. Gould, a widow of Grand Rapids, Mich. Failure of certain financial ventures and his inability to provide for his bride as he had hoped to do is given as the cause of Schweitzer's suicide.

OBJECT TO HOTEL.

Residents of McPherson Avenue Ask for an Injunction.

Residents of McPherson avenue asked the Circuit Court Saturday to protect their street from a private hotel.

James W. Allison, Addie Allison, Harry E. Papin, Archer W. Douglas, Hattie B. Fields, Jesse Carleton, Charles M. Prynne, Parker W. Litchfield and Walter H. Wylie are plaintiffs in an injunction suit against Griff Glover and Virginia and Thomas Blackwell. The petition states that Glover owns a lot on Forest Park place, fronting 50 feet on the south line of McPherson avenue, on which there is a residence which he has leased to the Blackwelders for a private hotel, contrary to the restrictions of the thoroughfare. The plaintiffs all own lots on McPherson avenue.

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WOMAN'S SUIT FOR HOWARD'S ESTATE FAILS

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ing in the Washington courts.

In citing the Miller identification, Judge Crews says that, without reference to Miller's deposition or to the testimony of the witnesses who say that he was the husband of Mary Moore, there is, aside from this, no competent evidence that Mrs. Leafgreen is the widow of Laclede J. Howard, and that, whether or not she married Thomas Jefferson Miller, it is apparent from the facts brought out that she did not marry Laclede J. Howard.

The man known to Mary Moore as Howard left her a short time after the marriage, telling her that the marriage was not legal because he had used an assumed name.

Lived in Tent in Suburb.

Two years later she married Henry Drennan, from whom she obtained a divorce at Denver in 1895.

A few months later she married W. T. Leafgreen, with whom she came to St. Louis. While their home in Maplewood was being built she and Leafgreen lived in a tent.

Traveling to and from St. Louis on the Suburban cars, Mrs. Leafgreen frequently passed the immense brick factory of which Howard was the principal owner, and on the walls of which his name appeared in large letters.

She testified that while she was on her way to St. Louis early in 1903, a man came from the factory and boarded the car on which she was riding. She said she at once recognized him as the Howard whom she had married 20 years before. She said that he followed her into a downtown dry goods store and talked with her. She told of several other meetings with this man, who, she said, acknowledged his identity as her former husband and told her he was known in St. Louis as Laclede J. Howard.

Bought His Photograph.

Several witnesses gave testimony which indicated that Howard knew Mrs. Leafgreen, but none of them showed that this knowledge antedated her arrival in St. Louis.

After Howard's death Mrs. Leafgreen exhibited to acquaintances his photograph as that of her former husband. Her admission that she bought this picture from a photographer after Laclede J. Howard's death was one of the circumstances which helped to weaken her case.

Her statement that her knowledge that Laclede J. Howard was her former husband first came to her in a mysterious telephone message, and that every letter and paper on which she might have relied to support her contentions had been destroyed, also weighed against the validity of her claim.

When Mrs. Leafgreen filed her suit against the estate Leafgreen left St. Louis. His present whereabouts are not known to her, Mrs. Leafgreen says.

Wins Pittsburg Girl.

An interesting engagement announced Saturday morning in Pittsburg is that of Miss H. Kate Furness, a prominent society girl of Pittsburg and Wirt Louis Thompson of St. Louis. Mr. Thompson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William B. Thompson of the Washington Hotel. No date for the wedding has been announced.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething relieves the child from pain.

ROGERS CALLS ON MARSHALL FIELD

Oil Magnate Spends Half Hour in Sickroom—Patient Is Resting Quietly.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Henry H. Rogers, vice-president of the Standard Oil Co., called at the Holland House, where Marshall Field, the Chicago millionaire, is ill with pneumonia, and passed a half hour with the patient.

Mr. Field rested quietly last night and apparently there has been no change in his condition. Dr. Frank Billings, Mr. Field's family physician, who reached here yesterday, passed the night in the sickroom and the patient appeared to be greatly cheered by the presence of an old friend.

Last night's bulletin stated that the disease had not gained any perceptible headway, and the physicians are said to be quite satisfied with the situation. The opinion expressed by the hotel attaches is that Mr. Field is on the road to recovery.

OVATION FOR HADLEY IN COURT

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referred to the Missouri Supreme Court for determination.

The Master before whom the case was tried in Missouri, Mr. Hagerman said, suspended all proceedings there until the question whether the stock ownership and control of the companies must be disclosed, could be determined.

Attorney-General Hadley then, according to Mr. Hagerman, came to New York, and under a New York statute, took testimony and asked questions along the same line pending in the decision in Missouri. Mr. Hagerman declared that the stock ownership is not material and cited a decision in Missouri in the Tobacco Trust litigation.

"Your Honor may have noticed," he said, "that out in that country they are rather busy with what are known as trusts."

Mr. Hagerman said he contended that of 45 questions asked Mr. Rogers 25 of them have nothing to do with the business affairs of the two alleged offending corporations.

Attorney-General Hadley, Mr. Hagerman declared, ignored the Supreme Court of Missouri by asking these questions, and the witness had a right to refuse pending the decision of that court.

William J. Curtis of counsel for the defendants said that the atmosphere of the examination conducted by Mr. Hadley was not dignified. Mr. Curtis asked to enter his professional protest against what he termed the sensationism with which the case had been conducted.

Telephone Merger.

A merger has been effected between the Star and Bell telephone companies and two lines will connect at the Upper Alton switchboard. The deal was made between the directors of the Star line and G. M. Brown, local manager. The Star line has been known as the farmers' line and the absorption will give them connection with telephones at this place without extra tollage.

The sales of the Post-Dispatch in St. Louis each day are greater than the number of St. Louis homes.
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FLIGHT FROM LAW HER WEDDING TOUR

Toronto Girl Married $22,000 Embezzler and Became a Fugitive.

TWO DAYS IN ST. LOUIS

Tracked to Kingston, Jamaica, Where Husband Is a Prisoner.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

TORONTO, Ont., Jan. 13.—Separated from the young wife who gave up position, friends and reputation to flee with him after he had stolen $22,000 from the Crown Bank of Canada in Toronto, and tired out by a sensational flight from justice, Edwin St. George Banwell, 23 years old, is under arrest at Kingston, Jamaica, and will be brought back to Canada to stand trial. He and his wife spent two days in St. Louis in their flight.

Banwell held a good social position and had many friends among the old families of the Dominion. Last fall he was made teller of the bank. He had been secretly engaged to Miss Norah Hector, 21 years of age, who came of a good family in Toronto. There was great surprise when, after he disappeared with $22,000, mostly in Canadian $50 bills, belonging to the bank, Miss Hector fled to Buffalo, where a hasty marriage was performed.

The couple went to New York. There they registered as Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Campbell. Detectives might not have traced the couple to New York had not Banwell gone there to change the $50 bills into American money. Detectives were soon hunting for the young man in New York.

Engaging a drawing room on a Pennsylvania train to St. Louis, he got out of New York with his bride the night before detectives walked into the Hotel Chelsea and asked for him.

Two Days in St. Louis.

At the Jefferson Hotel in St. Louis the fugitive and his bride stopped for two days, living high and traveling about the city a good deal. When detectives arrived in St. Louis the couple were fleeing South on an Iron Mountain train for Memphis, where, after a day or two, they separated. Banwell went direct to New Orleans, while his wife took a more roundabout route. After meeting in New Orleans, they went to the St. Charles Hotel, where they were known as C. C. Andrews and wife. Then they took train for St. Augustine.

When arrested Banwell had most of the money concealed in his trunks. He is now in Jail and his bride has been driven from the hotel where they were stopping.

Unidentified Man Dies.

An unidentified man, about 60 years old, found unconscious on the pavement at Fourth and Market streets, suffering from carbolic acid poisoning, died Saturday, 10 hours after he was taken to the City Hospital. The only clew to his identity was a slip of paper in his pocket bearing the name "Jeannette Kane."

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NEGRO CLUB IS FINED.

Democratic Principles Didn't Save Greeley Organization.

Judge Pollard of Dayton Street Police Court brought sorrow to the 1900 members of the Greeley Democratic Club Saturday, when he fined Oliver Tunnus $100 for serving strong drink at the club headquarters, 1213 Lucas avenue, without a license.

The Greeley Club is a negro organization, and cut quite a figure in the campaign of 1904. Joseph W. Folk, then candidate for Governor, addressed this club on one occasion, and so did Harry B. Hawes and Assistant City Attorney Edward A. Noonan Jr.

Mr. Noonan, who is prosecutor in Dayton street court, smiled when these facts were brought out in the evidence, but could not recall the date when he expounded the principles of true Democracy to the club, nor did he seem to recall the face of George Washington Smith, president of the club, nor that of Mr. Tunnus, who was mulcted by the court.

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Accused of Forgery.

A warrant will be applied for charging Fred O. Hook of 3800 South Broadway with forging the name of John S. Bratton, a well-known horseman, to a check for $25 and passing it on James Gallegher, Sixth and Elm streets. He is held at Central Police Station.

HEROIC WIFE TAKES POISON

She Pleaded to Be Substituted in Jail for Her Husband.

BIGAMY CHARGED TO HIM

Offered to Give Him Up to Other Wife If He Were Released.

Mrs. Roxie Bolgard, who sought a way in which she could take the place of her husband when he was arrested in August for bigamy, is at the City Hospital recovering from the effects of an attempt to take her life.

She swallowed morphine Friday night in her room at 2027 Pine street, where she has been known as Rose Weaver since the arrest and conviction of her husband, who is serving a term in the Penitentiary at Chester, Ill.

She has been despondent since her husband was sent to the Penitentiary, and has many times threatened to kill herself. She talked of taking her life before she went to her room Friday night and the woman with whom she lives followed her and found that she had swallowed the drug.

The police were called in and she was taken as quickly as possible to City Hospital. After the stomach pump had been used she was kept walking all night and the heroic treatment was successful.

She was received at the hospital as Rose Weaver, but she admitted Saturday morning that she was Mrs. Bolgard.

"There was nothing for me to live for after Ed was taken to the Penitentiary," she said, "and I wanted to die."

She will be well enough to leave the hospital in a day or two.

Offered to Take His Place.

When Bolgard was arrested in East St. Louis on complaint of his second wife, Mrs. Ruby White Bolgard of Smithboro, Ill., his first wife, Roxie, after trying in vain to get a bondsman for him, offered herself as a bond of flesh and blood to take his place in jail and wept when the prosecuting attorney told her that this could not be.

She also tried to get him released by declaring that she had never been married to him, but her willingness to sacrifice her good name to get him out was of no avail.

Previous to this she had offered to let him live with his second wife to keep her from having him prosecuted, and as he was out of work she agreed to help them to get along.

She hired a lawyer to defend him when he was tried in the Circuit Court at Belleville, but he was convicted and sent to the Penitentiary.

Mrs. Roxie Bolgard was formerly Miss Roxie Holbrook of Salem, Mo. She was married to Bolgard in September, 1903. He married the other woman about a year ago.

When her husband was on trial his first wife wanted to testify that she had never been divorced from a man she was married to before she married Bolgard, but was not permitted to do so because it would not have done the defendant any good.

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Lawyers Submit Terms to Her Former Husband, James Brown Potter.

PRESENT WIFE AROUSED

Objected to Being Confused With Her Marital Predecessor.

BOTH USED SAME NAME

Divorcee's Attorneys Say Her "Trade-Mark" Is Worth a Good Price.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—Mrs. James Brown Potter of New York, who was Miss May Handy of Baltimore, is apparently amazed by the fact that her husband's first wife, the actress, still calls herself Mrs. James Brown Potter.

A few days ago Charles R. Honey of Honey & Keith, lawyers, of New York, called upon the lawyers of Mrs. James Brown Potter of London and said he had come from New York in behalf of the present wife of James Brown Potter, who wishes to know if Mrs. Cora Urquhart Potter could not be persuaded to use some other name in order to oblige Mrs. Brown Potter of New York, as the actress and the New York woman are constantly mixed in the imaginations of ignorant persons.

The London lawyers did not know who James Brown Potter or the present Mrs. James Brown Potter were, but they discussed the proposition with Mr. Honey on a cold-blooded business basis.

They pointed out to Mr. Honey that Mrs. James Brown Potter of London has made her name known throughout the world as an actress; that Brown Potter was practically her trademark, and that though she had been his wife, she had no claim whatever upon James Brown Potter, and desired to make none.

"Her name," the lawyers said, "brings her income upon which she lives; and why, without a well-arranged business proposition, should she relinquish her name in order to enhance the social position of the lady who is now the second wife of her former husband?"

Mr. Honey suggested that possibly she might be open to inducement.

"Certainly," responded Mr. Won, the London lawyer, who knew his client's views on this point. "If you want to buy a trade mark you must pay for it. Mrs. Brown Potter will not call herself Mrs. Cora Jones. Miss Cora Urquhart or any other distinguishing title unless she be paid $250,000 in cash."

Mr. Honey then withdrew to consult James Brown Potter by cable, but so far no further proposition has been laid before Mrs. Brown Potter's lawyers.

HUSBAND PLEADS IGNORANCE OF PLAN.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—James Brown Potter told a reporter for the Post-Dispatch that he knew nothing about the proposition made by Mr. Honey to his former wife's lawyers.

Mr. Honey's son said he is head of the firm had been in London recently, but so far as he knew, not on any such mission.

Mrs. Brown Potter's stage career has always been a sore point with her former husband's family, and especially has this been the case since the marriage of her daughter "Fifi" to a son of James Stillman, head of the Rockefeller bank in this city. He is said to have done all in his power to prevent the mother of his daughter-in-law from coming to America. In fact, it has been said that he backed Mrs. Potter financially in her last theatrical venture, which ended so disastrously, solely to keep her from coming to America.

That the present wife of James Brown Potter should take such action as is related by the Post-Dispatch's London correspondent, would be perfectly natural, and it is not unlikely that such action has been taken, through motives of delicacy, without the knowledge of her husband.

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ROOT BOOMERS PLAY POLITICS IN MISSOURI

Reappointment of Elkins at Columbia a Bid for Kerens' Favor.

SCANDAL WHITEWASHED

Taft's Cordial Reception at St. Louis Called for an Antidote.

FILLEY DISTURBS THEM

Ex-Leader's Return to Power Would Be a Hard Blow.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—A local paper prints a dispatch from its Washington correspondent as follows:

Frank Orff, president of the Missouri league, is here to meet J. H. Moore of Philadelphia, president of the National League. He and Orff are known to be active in directing the interest of the National League of Republican Clubs to aid Root's presidential aspirations. In Missouri alone there are over 400 of these clubs, which are all considered favorable to Mr. Root's candidacy.

The National League will hold its convention in Philadelphia in June, and already it is planned to have this convention go on record for Elihu Root for president in 1908. Members of Congress and other politicians who have watched Mr. Cortelyou's course for the last few months believe that he has had this administration's orders to stand by Root and do all in his power to make his nomination assured.

One instance to the point, it is asserted, is the reappointment of Samuel B. Elkins as postmaster of Columbia, Mo.

Postmaster Elkins was not in the highest standing in his own district and State, but Senator Warner of Missouri was called up by Mr. Cortelyou recently and told that several Missouri postmasters would be "retained" in office, having been efficient and without stain. Curiously enough, one of these thus described was Postmaster Elkins. There had been a scandal concerning the site for a new Postoffice in Elkins' district in Missouri, but that did not reflect upon the Postmaster, in the opinion of the Roosevelt-Root-Cortelyou cabal.

Root Need Kerens.

Other Missourians say that except for the Root forces' need of the support of Richard C. Kerens in Missouri and of Senator Elkins in West Virginia, the administration view of the scandal might have taken a different aspect, for the Root supporters did not have things all their own way, even in Missouri. William H. Taft of Ohio, Secretary of War, was induced by his friends to break into that State. Accordingly, he went to St. Louis and made one of his Panama Canal speeches to the Commercial Club.

Charles Nagel of St. Louis, one of the prominent politicians in the State, is the personal friend of Secretary Taft. He became alarmed at the growth of the Root strength in his State. Secretary Taft, however, it appears, from testimony of Missouri Republicans, has been driven out of that field by the determined efforts of the Root boomers. The only disturbing force there now is the threatened return of Chauncey I. Filley to the Republican leadership of St. Louis. Filley can be counted on to be "agin" anything or anybody Uncle Dick Kerens is for, and so Orff and the other Root agents in the former Bourbon State are up and doing.

Exposition Roller Rink, Thirteenth and Olive.

Professional one-mile race Jan. 15, 16 and 17.

SOLDIER'S MIND FAILS.

Arduous Philippine Service Deranges Bissell Thomas.

Bissell Thomas, an account of whose detention at Portland, Ore., on a charge of having cashed a worthless draft on a St. Louis trust company was printed in the Post-Dispatch, Jan. 4, has been found to be suffering from mental derangement due to his arduous service as a soldier in the Philippine Islands. Efforts will be made to have him committed to a sanitarium for treatment.

Young Thomas is a son of Charles W. Thomas, a leading attorney of Belleville, and until his mind became affected was regarded as an exceptionally bright and steady young man.

While a soldier in the Philippines Thomas received commendation from Gen. Henry Lawton for bravery and efficiency in battle.

Mr. Thomas' hallucination is that every one owes him money and that collection is possible only by drawing on him imaginary creditors.

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JUVENILE ACTORS DEFEND MANAGER

"Will o' the Wisp" Children Will Accompany Him to Court.

HELD UNDER LABOR LAW

Citation Fails to Prevent Performance of Troupe in Alton.

Manager Richards of the "Will o' the Wisp" Juvenile Opera Company is summoned to appear at 5 o'clock this afternoon before Justice Rose of Alton, in which place the company is now playing, to answer to the charge of violating the labor laws of Illinois, preferred against him by Deputy State Factory Inspector Jencks.

The time set for the hearing of the case was arranged in order not to interfere with the Saturday matinee performance of "Will o' the Wisp," in which appear the children upon whose employment by Manager Richards the complaint was based. Manager Richards will go direct from the theater to Justice Rose's office at the close of the matinee performance and present his defense. He left St. Louis for Alton at 1 p. m. Saturday in order to attend the "Will o' the Wisp" matinee and then go to court.

There is but one case against him, that based on the Alton engagement, but Inspector Jencks says complaints have also been received from Belleville, Edwardsville, East St. Louis and Massonia.

Manager Richards says that he does not consider that the children of his juvenile opera company come under the operation of the Illinois law forbidding children under 10 years of age to appear on the stage and prohibiting the appearance of all under 16 on the stage at night. He says that they are children of prominent St. Louis families, that they are playing for their own pleasure, that the money earned goes into a general fund from which to meet expenses when there is a deficit in any engagement.

85 Alton Children.

There are 14 members of the company, he says, and, in addition, 85 children of prominent Alton families were engaged to sing in the chorus, the performance being for the benefit of St. Joseph's Hospital.

The St. Louis children composing the Juvenile Opera Co., according to Manager Richards' statement, are as follows:

Totsie Marks, 12 years, 922 Tyler street; Jesse Hollweg, 12 years, 1530 North Fifteenth street; Anna Pfeffer, 16 years, 3026 Easton avenue; Hazel Smith, 15 years, 2800 North Vandeventer avenue; Dorothy Lamb, 12 years, and Ruth Lamb, 18 years, 4776 Cottage avenue; Marie Albers, 14 years, 1302 Mississippi avenue; Gertrude Crawford, 16 years, and Ester Crawford, 12 years, 1960 Central avenue; Gertrude Berger, 12 years, 2804 Dolman avenue; Charles Strawn, 12 years, 1331 Blackstone avenue; Russell Penn, 13 years, 3925 North Twenty-first street; Nellie Bright, 15 years, 1233 Dillon street, and Catherine Creed, 15 years, whose address Richards did not know.

Richards said that the children and their parents did not know of Mr. Jencks' actions until the troupe was coming home Friday night on a street car. When they heard of it they all laughed heartily, he says, and declared it was the best joke of their theatrical career.

Child May Dance in Court.

Manager Richards will be accompanied by his entire juvenile opera company when he appears in Justice Rose's court. He says that the ladies of the St. Jseph's Hospital Committee were indignant at Inspector Jencks' action, and little Totsie Marks of the company declares that she will dance so beautifully before Justice Rose that he will be compelled to discharge her manager. He says that a performance of "Will o' the Wisp" will be given in Alton tonight as advertised.

The play was written by Hiram W. Hayes of St. Louis, the music by Prof. Charles Kunkel, a well-known St. Louis composer, and the production has been seen frequently here and several tours through Southern Illinois and parts of Missouri have been made. Manager Richards says that the children are always accompanied by their parents. He says, also, that his present trouble is due to the complaint of a Belleville woman, who was chagrined because her child was not given a prominent part.

FURS FOR MISS ALICE.

Silver Fox Skin, Valued at $300, for Wedding Gift.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BANNERVILLE, Wis., Jan. 12.—Lucius Kennedy, importer of furs, has received three silver fox skins from Ontario, Canada, one of which was ordered by Revillon & Freres, fur dealers, at New York, to be prepared as a wedding present for Miss Alice Roosevelt. The skins are valued at $300 each and are very rare.

DRESS IGNITED, FATALLY BURNED

Brother Responded to Screams of Mrs. Bechtold, but Too Late.

WRAPPED RUG ABOUT HER

She Had Gone Into Clothes Closet and Lighted a Match.

Mrs. Pauline Bechtold, 2639 South Twelfth street, died Friday from burns received accidentally at her home the day before. Henry Neumeister, 2637 South Twelfth street, brother of Mrs. Bechtold, was in the rear yard of his home Thursday morning, when he heard screams emanating from his sister's house. He ran in at the rear door and discovered Mrs. Bechtold in one of the rear rooms, her dress aflame. Siezing a rug, he succeeded in wrapping it about her and extinguishing the fire. Mrs. Bechtold was then prostrate and unconscious. Dr. Louis Thumser, 2637 South Thirteenth street, was summoned and treated Mrs. Bechtold.

Mrs. Bechtold told Mr. Neumeister that she had gone to a closet in the room to search for a pair of overshoes and had lighted a match in order to see. The flame from the match set her clothing on fire and she was unable to tear her garments off or extinguish the fire.

Mrs. Bechtold was a widow and resided with her father, Gottlieb Neumeister, and three daughters, Rosa, Edna and Pauline.

New Orleans and Return, $15.70, Mobile and Return, $12.65.

Via Mobile & Ohio R. R., Jan. 16. Tickets and information at 518 Olive street.

WEEKE GETS LITTLE GIRL.

Delegate Given Custody of Child After Divorce.

Henry L. Weeke, member of the House of Delegates and of the Republican City Central Committee, who was granted a divorce from Lizzie Weeke by Judge Douglas, has also been awarded the custody of their 12-year-old daughter, Esther Weeke.

The principal ground brought forward by the husband for divorce was the charge that Mrs. Weeke was given to strong drink and nearly bankrupted her husband by creating scenes at his saloon and driving his trade away. He said she was not a fit custodian for the little girl. In her answer and cross-bill, Mrs. Weeke made a counter-charge of addiction to drink against her husband. She also testified that he threatened to use his "political pull" to have her put in an insane asylum and that she had supplied him with funds when he was in need of money for campaign purposes.

When the divorce was granted, no mention as to the disposition of the child was made, the court announcing that it would hear further arguments as to the disposition of little Esther.

POLICEMAN SICK OF JOB.

Shoves Star Into Hand of Inquiring Sergeant.

Patrolman Thomas J. Noonan of Newstead Avenue Station, formerly of Central District, 15 hours after he had thrust his star and keys into the hands of Sergt. James St. John, who had been sent to his home to investigate his report of illness, sent Lieut. Mansfield a letter of resignation, in which he said he was suffering from neuralgia and gastritis.

Noonan reported by telephone that he was too sick for duty at rollcall Wednesday evening and did not appear at the station the following day. Lieut. Mansfield, in command, sent Sergt. St. John to investigate.

When the Sergeant knocked at the door it was opened by Noonan, who said he was "sick of the force," and shoved his star and keys at his superior officer.

SENDS CHALLENGE TO CHIEF KIELY

Saloon-Keeper Schuler Asks Police Commissioners to Act as Seconds.

HE WOULD PREFER FISTS

But He Will Permit the Chief to Choose the Weapons to Be Used.

Chief Kiely, already oppressed by the troubles that the police investigation have crowded on him, must now accept a challenge to combat or lose his standing in the community. Joseph Schuler, proprietor of a saloon and restaurant at Eleventh street and Clark avenue, in the shadow of Four Courts, is the challenger, and Police Commissioners Maroney and Fristoe and Circuit Attorney Sager are to be the bearers of the defiance.

Observing the ethics of the code duello Schuler leaves to Chief Kiely the choice of weapons, but suggests that their respective lance would be the fittest instruments with which to settle their differences.

Schuler admits that he can "whip" Chief Kiely, but isn't sure that he will have an opportunity. He is afraid, he says, that if the challenge is accepted it will be with the stipulation that the weapons are to be fists and the distance a hundred yards.

The challenge was hurled at the Chief by Schuler Friday night while Commissioners Maroney and Fristoe and Circuit Attorney Sager were in his place eating lunch.

Delivers the Challenge.

"Tell Chief Kiely for me, gentlemen," said Schuler, "that I challenge him to fight me at any place or time and in any way that he wants to. I know I can lick him. Tell him he must fight me or shame himself in the eyes of the world."

Chief Kiely has not yet announced whether he will do battle with Shuler, but every one at Four Courts is waiting breathlessly for his answer. It is not known when the statute of limitation will run against the challenge. The rule, it is said, is that an answer must be returned within three days when one gentleman has made up his mind to damage the features of another.

The feud between Chief Kiely and Schuler came in consequence of the Chief's alleged detail of Sergt. Rea to watch the former's saloon and report policemen who entered it. Patrolman Heer of Central District and Patrolman Heinze the Third District were before the Police Board Friday on charges of visiting Schuler's establishment. They were exonerated on their testimony that they had gone there to find witnesses.

His Official Customers.

They admitted that they had often gone there to eat lunch, and that sometimes a glass of beer had been bought to accompany the lunch.

Schuler appeared before the Commissioners also to tell that Circuit Attorney Sager, Judge Bishop and Judge Taylor often ate their lunch at his place. He declared that the policemen had an equal right to patronize him. His saloon was not a rendezvous for policemen or "grafters," he declared, and he protested against the Chief's action in preventing policemen entering the saloon.

When Gov. Folk was Circuit Attorney he regularly ate his lunch in Schuler's place, which is overlooked by windows in the office of the Circuit Attorney and the rooms assigned to grand jurors.

Exposition Roller Rink, Thirteenth and Olive.

Character Carnival Thursday, Jan. 18. All in costume; 30 prizes given.

REFUSED TO BE SAVED.

Woman Ended Life by Jumping Into Deep Well.

Jumping into a well 30 feet deep, Mrs. Runge, aged 55, ended her life at her home in Edwardsville Friday. Mrs. Runge, who was stricken with paralysis a year ago, lived with her husband and daughter. While they were absent from the house emptying a tub of water, Mrs. Runge plunged into the well, which was below the kitchen.

When she was seen struggling in the water ropes were thrown to her, but she refused to be saved. An attempt was made to descend into the well, but before anyone could do so she drowned.

Funeral of G. W. Woods.

The funeral of George W. Woods, a well-known contractor of Benton, whose death was due to pneumonia, will be held from the family residence, 6810 Bleeck avenue, Sunday afternoon, and the interment will be in Park Hill Cemetery.

A Coffee Experiment
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VISITOR HELD AS PAL OF PRISONERS

Two East St. Louis Detectives Capture Six Peddlers in Wagons.

CHASE AFTER ROBBERY

Captors Heroes of Triumphal Procession to Police Station.

James Gallagher, John Sweeney, Conrad Hart, Frank Fitzgerald and Michael Donohue, all of St. Louis, arrested under exciting circumstances after Holwox Lewis had been attacked and robbery committed in his store at 2253 Missouri avenue, East St. Louis, were held for trial Saturday by Justice Stanton in $500 bond. In default of bond they went to jail. Their cases are set for Monday. The charge is burglary and larceny.

The five have been identified by Lewis and others. Oliver Stephens and William Miller, arrested at the same time, have not been identified as having been at the Lewis store, and charges of vagrancy will be placed against them.

Six of the men were captured by Detectives Dumphy and Yowell as they were making a dash in three peddler wagons for Eads bridge. The detectives headed them at Twelfth street and Broadway, and, with drawn revolvers, captured them. They were forced into one wagon and Yowell compelled them, at the point of his revolver, to drive to the station. Dumphy hitched the other two wagons together and drove them to the station.

Donohue visited the station later to learn what he could do for the others, and was identified by Lewis and arrested.

When the detectives, after a short pursuit Friday afternoon, saw the three wagons, Yowell ran out in front of the first and seized the horses' bridles, turning them across the street so that the others could not cross.

The men in the second wagon turned their horses sharply to one side of the road in an effort to get by, but the detective was too quick for them and they found themselves in a "pocket," looking into the muzzle of Yowell's revolver.

Wagons in Queer Procession.

The men in the third wagon jerked the horses sharply at a right angle and whipped them out Twelfth street. Detective Dumphy pursued, calling to the men to halt. When his command was not obeyed he fired three shots into the air. Still the wagon plunged ahead. The detective stopped running, braced his right hand with his left and took careful aim.

The driver of the wagon, glancing back over his shoulder, saw Dumphy in this menacing position. The horses came to such an abrupt stop that the other man on the seat lost his balance.

Dumphy had the horses turned about and driven back to the place where Yowell guarded his four prisoners. Then the queer procession of three peddlers' wagons in a row, with seven men in the first, one covering the other six with revolvers, while the eighth man drove the two rear wagons hitched together, started toward the Police Station.

Lewis said Sweeney had tried to sell him lemons, and that Gallagher held a butcher knife at his throat after he had been knocked down, threatening his life if he made outcry. He identified Donohue as the man who felled him.

Potatoes and apples found in the wagons were claimed by Lewis as being from his stock. Money amounting to $45 was found in possession of the men. Lewis said they robbed him of $25. In an apple barrel $2.45 was found, and in a sack of potatoes $1.80.

HUSBAND SURRENDERED.

Gave Himself Up After Stabbing His Wife.

Mrs. Katherine Ruddy of 164 Sidney street, who was stabbed Friday afternoon by her husband, John, with a molder's vent pin, inflicting two wounds in her breast and one in her left forearm, was able to be up Saturday and will recover.

She is not able to account for her husband's violence. He had been away looking for work since Tuesday. She was at the home of her sister, Mrs. Mary Fleisher, 151 Louisa street when he returned home. When he came to her sister's door and asked if his wife was there, Mrs. Fleisher saw he was angry and told him she was not. He pushed his way into the kitchen and stabbed his wife three times. He then left the house and told Policeman Grady what he had done and was arrested. Dr. Tolling attended to Mrs. Ruddy's injuries.

Mrs. Ruddy said Saturday she would have a warrant issued charging her husband with assault.

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TWO MISSOURIANS ARE "INSURGENTS"

Representatives Murphy and Fulkerson Join Anti-Statehood Forces.

ROOSEVELT USES WHIP

Drives All But Two of Missouri Delegation Back to the Fold.

By Wire From the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Despite the capture of the entire Missouri delegation by President Roosevelt, the insurgents present an unbroken front. Representative Babcock, their leader, now claims 51 votes pledged in writing against the adoption of the Statehood rule. He asserts that at least a dozen more will vote with him when the rule comes up, but that they do not care to be subjected to lectures and threats by the House organization in the meantime.

The President took a hand in the fight by sending for the Republican delegation from Missouri. This delegation is composed of new men, except Representative Bartholdt. The President shook hands with them and told them how glad he was to see Republican representatives from Missouri. Then he started on the business at hand.

The entire delegation had insurgent leanings until last week, when Speaker Cannon apparently won all over except Murphy. Later it was found that Fulkerson had gone over to the insurgents.

The President told the delegation that the way to remain in Congress was to keep in line with the party and play with the administration. He referred to the fact that the postmasters are to be appointed in many districts. He said he was sorry to see that some of the Missourians had been led off the beaten path.

All the Missourians except Murphy and Fulkerson pledged themselves to support the President in everything from a Statehood fight to a wolf hunt. The two insurgents refused and remained with the anti-statehood forces.

Cannon Threatens.

Speaker Cannon tried threats today and found them ineffective. More pacific measures were then resorted to. At his suggestion, Mr. Bartholdt called the Committee on Public Buildings together and appointed subcommittees to weigh the various projects presented. Bills appropriating more than $40,000,000 are now before the committee. Until the insurgent forces gained such formidable strength, Speaker Cannon had given out that he did not intend "many pork barrels" should go through—at least, not while a deficit remains in the treasury.

Bartholdt is now circulating the report that the Speaker may be induced to permit the passage of a public building bill, provided it does not exceed $14,000,000. The scramble has begun. The Speaker promised insurgents that if they would get within the breastworks they would be taken care of in the public building bill—if there is such a bill.

Speaker Cannon has not given up the statehood fight, by any means. He and his friends still assert that they will be victorious, but with the Democratic votes, which will go solidly against a joint statehood for New Mexico and Arizona, the insurgents need only between 50 and 60 votes to defeat any rule.

CHUMS IN DEAR OLD JAIL.

Man Who Got Out First Imposes on Mate's Wife.

In effect, the messabe sent from Clayton Jail by Edward Sturgeon to his wife at her home in St. Louis was: "Twenty-three for McCarthy," after he learned that his former cellmate, William McCarthy, had his feet under the mahogany and his hat on the family tree of the house of Sturgeon.

"In accordance with your instructions, I am giving your chum three meals a day and a hall room," was the substance of Mrs. Sturgeon's letter, to which the "skidoo" message was a response.

Sturgeon says that while McCarthy, confined on a charge of disturbing the peace, shared his cell in Clayton Jail he learned the St. Louis address of Mrs. Sturgeon. On being released, he went to her home at Twenty-first and Walnut streets and told her that it was the desire of her husband that she should give him board and lodging.

"We were pals," he said.

Mrs. Sturgeon complied with his request, and did not suspect that she was being imposed upon until her husband's reply to her letter came.

She says that when McCarthy saw the communication from Sturgeon, he departed and did not return.

GIRL TOILERS TO SCHOOL.

Mill Superintendent Agrees to Observe Age Law.

A conference between Judge Moore, Truant Officer Quinn and C. A. Young resulted in a general continuance of the case in which Mr. Young, general superintendent of the Southern Cotton Mills, was charged with employing children under age.

The case was the first in the Court of Criminal Correction under the new truancy law. It was charged that Young employed Julia Palecek, aged 11, who lives with her mother, Sophia Palecek, at 2107 Bismarck street, and Annie Oertle, aged 12, living with her parents at 2425 South Second street.

Truant Officer Quinn notified the parents that the children should be sent to school, instead of being allowed to work in the factory. At the conference with Judge Moore the parents agreed to send the girls to school and Young agreed to employ no more children under age.

Boys Down Bridge Combine.

The bridge arbitrary met defeat at the hands of debaters of Central High School, who Friday night won a decisive victory over High School Assembly. The question was, "Resolved, That the Terminal Monopoly in St. Louis Should be Abolished by the Federal Government," and the "Lit" boys represented the affirmative.

A. C. Eckert, G. A. Hodgman and A. B. Fry took the affirmative, while Earl Stanza, J. A. Wolfson and Otto Theil opposed the resolution. The judges were Judge Sale, Prof. J. S. Collins and Prof. A. P. Wilson.

Rheumatism, more painful in this climate than any other affliction, cured by prescription No. 2851, by Elmer & Amend.

Landmark Will Disappear.

The purchase of property near President and Kosciusko streets by the Manufacturers' Railway Co. for $16,000 foreshadows the passing of the store and home of John Weber, the resort of rivermen and hunters for 35 years. Weber in 1874 built the tavern on what is known in the neighborhood as "Kaiser Hill boulevard." The old man has a small home near by and there he expects to spend the rest of his days.

UNCLE SAM'S NEW NAVY IS COSTLY

Congress Has Appropriated $522,272,667.21 for Construction.

By Wire From the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Pitman Pulsifer, clerk to the Senate Naval Affairs Committee, has compiled data, which shows that Congress has appropriated for the new navy an aggregate of $252,272,667.21. Of this, $68,649,800 has been expended for battleships, beginning with the Texas and coming down to the Ohio. Armored cruisers have cost $29,791,145, ranging from the Brooklyn to the West Virginia. Protected cruisers, from the Newark to the Galveston, have required $32,213,680. The vessels now under way will have cost $66,101,668 by June 30 next.

The yearly cost of maintaining a battleship of the first class, like the Maine, is $634,255. A second-class battleship, like the Texas, costs $468,000 a year. The armored cruiser Brooklyn costs $439,206 a year; the protected cruiser Olympia, $395,634; the monitor Wyoming, $209,273; the gunboat Bennington, of 1710 tons, $175,000; the gunboat Newport, of 1000 tons, $117,874; the torpedo boat destroyer Hulnbridge, $81,641; the submarine torpedo boat Porpoise, $29,879. These figures include the cost of commission, the pay of officers and men and all repairs.

Third Naval Power.

The navy on June 30 last consisted of 270 vessels fit for service, 34 under construction, seven authorized and 15 unfit for service. The United States ranks third as a naval power, having 158 fighting ships, with a total tonnage of 701,797. Great Britain is first, with 497 ships of 1,907,998 tonnage. France is second, with 533 vessels of 800,968 tons. Germany is fourth, with 222 ships of 583,062 tonnage. These figures indicate that Germany would be at a disadvantage in case of war with France over Morocco.

France now has under construction six battleships, five armored cruisers and some smaller craft, the total displacement being 181,828 tons. Germany is building six battleships, two armored cruisers and six small cruisers, all having 122,330 tons displacement. Great Britain on Jan. 1 was building six battleships, 13 armored cruisers and some small craft, all aggregating 298,704 tons.

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LET NEW HUSBAND PAY.

Man Whose Wife Wedded Another Asks Relief.

William S. Hepburn, Good Samaritan, in Judge Sale's Court Saturday testified in behalf of his motion asking that the divorce decree of his former wife, now Mrs. Walter Winfield Sneathen, be modified so that he may have the custody of his two children and be relieved from contributing $10 a week to the support of Mrs. Sneathen.

Hepburn told of his meeting with Sneathen at City Mission, of Sneathen's frequent visits to the Hepburn home at 1722 Belleglade avenue, and of the double divorce which made it possible for Sneathen and Mrs. Hepburn to marry.

He says that his agreement with his former wife was that he should pay her $10 a week as long as she was single. Now that she is the wife of Sneathen, he asks relief from this obligation.

REPORT OHIO GOVERNOR HAS CONSUMPTION

Information From Pattison's Home Gives Condition as Critical.

FRIENDS ARE ALARMED

Doctors Refute Malaria Story and Admit Severe Bronchial Trouble.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 13.—It is believed that Gov. Pattison has "quick consumption." Word comes from his house and from reliable sources that the Governor is in a critical condition physically, despite denials.

All along it has been known that the Governor's ailment was of a serious nature, but few dreamed that his illness had reached the alarming stage indicated in the reports.

Every effort has been made to hold out hope that the Governor's health still is open to improvement, but doctors insist and others who are closely informed say that the malady from which he is suffering is not malaria, but severe bronchial trouble.

Gov. Pattison's mind is as active as ever, but his health is broken in a way that gives his friends gravest concern. They are recalling that the executive was able to be present at his own inauguration exercises only by sheer force of will.

It is not believed that he was benefited by the exposure, although every effort was made to protect him. He reviewed the parade from a glass case, erected especially for the occasion.

No grease, no smoke when you use Mamma's Pancake Flour on a Mamma's griddle. Ask your grocer.

SLAIN BY FALLING BLOCK.

Power House Employe Loses Life Working on Engine.

A falling tackle block killed Charles Demare, a rigger employed by the Union Electric Light and Power Co., in the company's plant at the foot of Ashley street late Friday. Demare, with eight other men, was installing an engine at the plant, and was standing directly under the heavy block.

A sudden slacking of the rope loosened the hook which supported the block from the sill in which it was fastened, and it struck Demare on the head. Peter Macovich, another workman, was also struck on the head, but his injuries were slight. Demare lived with his wife at Eighteenth and North Market streets.

Married Women

Every woman covets a shapely, pretty figure, and many of them deplore the loss of their girlish forms after marriage. The bearing of children is often destructive to the mother's shapeliness. All of this can be avoided, however, by the use of Mother's Friend before baby comes, as this great liniment always prepares the body for the strain upon it, and preserves the symmetry of her form. Mother's Friend overcomes all the danger of child-birth, and carries the expectant mother safely through this critical period without pain. It is woman's greatest blessing. Thousands gratefully tell of the benefit and relief derived from the use of this wonderful remedy. Sold by all druggists at $1.00 per bottle. Our little book, telling all about this liniment, will be sent free.

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WHO GOT IT?

Who got the police graft?

Evidence has been brought out pointing to grafting on a large scale by patrolmen assigned to the bad lands and to corrupt relationships between criminals and members of the police and detective force. But extensive grafting cannot be carried on by subordinates without the knowledge of their superior officers. As a rule, corruption works, except in a few isolated cases, from above downwards. The standard is fixed by the men higher up. As a rule, grafting is a part of a system of graft which to be successfully carried on requires protection from above.

Was there a system of graft in St. Louis, as the evidence indicates? Who shared in the profits? Who protected the underlings who collected graft? This is the large question suggested by the recent developments in the investigation of the police department. This is the question which must be answered before police reform is an accomplished fact.

A St. Louisan has been sentenced for stealing a Bible. We do not remember that any citizen of Chicago was ever arrested for Bible stealing.

WOMEN THINKING.

The New York Association of Anti-Suffragists has sent out its tenth annual report.

The women of this society don't want to vote and argue, ergo other women shouldn't vote, and ergo again other women musn't vote.

The reason is that "every one knows that the influence women can exert for good is immeasurably beyond the boundaries of any power which the use of the ballot might confer."

Of course what everyone knows is undeniable. But isn't it wonderful that some of us don't know that everybody knows this fact.

Women are interesting. They always have a little surprise in store for us. Who would have believed this profound doctrine for instance—that what everybody knows is unknown to somebodies?

Gov. Dineen has cut off the railroad passes of every employe in the executive departments, institutions and boards of Illinois. The moral wave is fairly deluging Springfield.

DOING SOMETHING FOR TAXPAYER

At last something is to be done for the taxpayer. At least Rev. J. W. Alton of Chillicothe points out the way of justice.

A beautifully furnished comfortable room is to be provided for drunken men. There they can sober up at their leisure.

The men who get drunk are the men who pay the license tax. Dr. Alton thinks that if the town of Chillicothe depends upon the saloons for revenue, it is not just or fair to lock up the men upon whom the burden finally rests in a cheap "cooler" or calaboose.

This is good doctrine. The man who pays the bills should have first choice of good things. We are too heedless of our obligations to the taxpayer.

If Uncle Joe Cannon has to have help from the President, the Speaker is not so big a man as the nation has been led to believe.

M. DE WITTE ON NEWSPAPERS.

Just before he sailed, M. de Witte said to Col. George Harvey, director of Harpers' Weekly and the North American Review:

"You call this a free country, but it is not free. It is not as free as mine. Your people have a master, and that master is more autocratic and infinitely more potent than the Emperor of Russia. The newspaper is your ruler."

The newspaper is the fourth estate; it is one of the agencies by which the public will gets itself executed. It is an organ of that will, not the will itself.

It is not strange, however, that M. de Witte thought of the press as a master. He did not see the public will behind it, the will that has declared that all things of public interest shall be laid before the public, and that no man, not even Emperor or President, or peace plenipotentiary, can escape this publicity.

There is no smallest hidden thing that relates to the public that shall not be laid bare. It is the essence of modern democracy and no individual, however powerful, can escape the duty to account for his words and deeds—whenever they affect the general interest. Attorneys-General may sometimes fail to compel individuals to tell the truth, but sooner or later the newspapers will reveal the whole of it.

The newspaper is not as M. de Witte thinks, the master of the American people. But it is an indispensable servant of the people, more indispensable, indeed, as Jefferson believed, than President, Congress or court.

If the law provided for service of subpenas by publication when a court's officers are unable to personally serve witnesses, the arm of Justice would be strengthened. An advertisement inserted in every daily newspaper having a circulation equal to one-tenth the inhabitants of the city or county in which the needed witness resides would come to his notice without a shadow of doubt. He could not fail to have knowledge of it, and having knowledge, he should be considered in contempt if he fails to respond. H. Clay Pierce is aware that he has been called as a witness before a commissioner of the Supreme Court of New York City and his failure to respond is contemptuous. A legal recognition of this theory of service on witnesses by publication, followed by the assessment of a penalty on his failure to respond, would compel him to purge himself of contempt.

GARBAGE REDUCTION.

The contract for the disposal of garbage offered by the Edson Reduction Co., appears to be fair to the city. It offers at least a basis for a fair plan of garbage reduction.

The company proposes:

1. To make a contract for fifteen years.
2. To build without cost to the city a plant of capacity to reduce all garbage and dead animals.
3. To dispose of this material in a satisfactory manner without cost to the city, provided the same is delivered at the plant.

These are the essential points. It is further provided that the city is to separate garbage, ashes and rubbage so that material for reduction shall be comparatively free from irreducible substances. After the expiration of one year, the city, by giving six months' notice, has the right to purchase the plant at cost less 5 per cent depreciation per annum. Right of inspection is reserved to the city, and in the event of purchase by the city, values are to be determined by a board of arbitration.

This is the plan which originated with the Civic Improvement League. In considering the question the Assembly cannot ignore it. If something better and more favorable to the city can be obtained, well and good. But nothing less favorable than this Edson proposal should be thought of. It marks the least that will be supported by public opinion.

The passage of the bond bill with the free bridge amendments and the unit vote provision marks a long step of progress for the free bridge movement. Courage and persistence will win the victory over the bridge monopoly.

THE MOROCCO CONFERENCE.

The Morocco conference about to begin sessions at Algeciras is summoned to settle the question whether France, Germany or all the great powers together shall govern the Sultan's country. Incidentally questions of trade will come up, but the real question is: What power is to be paramount there?

The wayfaring man though full of wisdom may ask why the Moroccan Government itself should not continue to govern Morocco? But that only shows that wise wayfarers are often behind the times.

The powers want the Sultan's land and trading privileges within his dominions, and they being powers need not consult him because he is not a power.

This is in pursuance of modern imperialistic ideas, which allows right only when there is might to support it. As the Moroccans have not might it follows that they have no right. The logic is plain and forcible. No man who thinks imperially will question it.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

ALAS! POOR YORICK.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Another unpleasant feature of street-car packing is the fact that all persons on the platform are exposed to the filthy snow that may be thrown from nearly every corner. One may ride from Sixth street to the end of a western route without once seeing a policeman, unless it is some patrolman who happens to be a deadhead passenger. Often the snowballs are packed hard and may easily injure seriously the eyes of anyone exposed.

YORICK.

TOO MUCH SNOWBALLING.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

The police should take steps to stop the congregation of a lot of boys every afternoon on a vacant lot on King's highway, between Morgan and Fairmount, and throw snowballs at all passers-by, drivers of wagons, horses and all pedestrians, with no regard to age or sex. On one occasion I saw them pelting a horse and driver and came nearly causing a runaway. These boys are evidently of respectable parents, but who are let run as they please, thereby developing the spirit of real hoodlumism.

A READER.

WANTS GOVERNMENT LIFE INSURANCE.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

A certain expert writer says: "Life insurance has become a prime necessity. Despite your or my protest, the extension of Government activity into fields now occupied by private business is urged on every side. Of all services which the community requires, there is none which the state could more easily engage than that of insuring the lives of its citizens. Stripped of the mysteries with which it has been surrounded and the misleading devices by which it has been permeated, the business of life insurance is one of extraordinary simplicity. To conduct it successfully requires neither energy nor initiative, and if pursued by the state does not even call for the exercise of any high degree of business judgment. The sole requisites would be honesty, accuracy and economy. The business of life insurance, which the companies now make so incomprehensible to the insured, consists properly only of three elements: 1. The initial medical examination. 2. The calculation of the so-called net premium or insurance and mortality reserve. 3. The investment of funds."

The last the state can undoubtedly control in the interest and for the protection of policy holders.

GEO. A. RITTER.

AN ELECTRIC GONG.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

In regard to the agitation to have the street cars stop on the near side of the street to avoid the numerous accidents from cars coming from the opposite direction, a more practical solution would be to compel the company to place a powerful electric gong on the rear platform of each car, that the motorman could ring to warn the alighting passengers of the approaching car. I believe this would prevent most of the accidents from this cause.

B. E. SCOTT.

WHEN STRAPHANGERS JOIN THE UNION

The Passengers' Latest Protest Viewed by a Post-Dispatch Cartoonist.



JUST A MINUTE

With the Post-Dispatch Poets and Humorists.

SPEAK GENTLY.

Mayor Wells believes that "the bridge arbitrary will ultimately be abolished;" but, he says, "we must not push the railroads too hard."

Speak gently to the railroads,
If you would have them mind.
Don't push them or be rude to them,
Or in the least unkind.

Don't try to urge them onward
By dark, forbidding frown,
And if they move too leisurely,
Don't try to call them down.

Remember that the combine
Has feelings, same as we,
That may be wounded sorely if
We speak impatiently.

Speak gently to the railroads,
Which hold the town in thrall,
(An "arbitrary" lot are they!)
And they may heed our call.

"Speak gently. It is better
To rule by love than fear,"
And if we're kind they may consent
To let us breathe, next year.

WHOLLY UNNECESSARY.

There are strange goings-on in a neighboring Illinois city. A number of bachelors have banded together and sworn to remain single. Some of them, we gather from a casual survey of their published photographs, have been single for many, many years.

"But what is the use," we ask ourselves, "of an unmarried man of 45 with a bald head swearing to remain single?"

'Tis a work of superogation it seems us.

A SINGULAR REQUEST.

Since every man's entitled to a mate
And bachelors are not proscribed by fate,
We'd like to ask them if they can relate
A single reason for their single state.

"I DECLINE TO ANSWER."

'Hank' Rogers he
Is entitled to the
Degree
Of LL. D.,
For that smooth dodger
Is a Low-Lived Dodger.
See?

THE CRANK.

Galileo climbed up on the Tower of Pisa. In his left coat pocket he carried a half-pound dornick.

There was a boy leaning against the leaning tower, at the base.

"Now," said Galileo, "if the earth turns on its axis this stone which I drop at the boy's head will be carried outward by the rotary motion of the earth, and will not crack the boy's nut."

He poised the stone carefully and dropped it. It fanned the boy's ear and hit the earth with a scientific thud beside his left foot.

"Police!" shouted the boy.
And they ran him in.

THE STRAPHANGERS' UNION

Reported for the Post-Dispatch

By O. B. Joyful.

ST. LOUIS STRAPHANGERS' UNION, NO. 2, was organized Friday night in Forest Park. It would have been organized in some other part of the city, but no building large enough to hold one-tenth of those who insisted on becoming charter members or know the reason why, could be found.

The initial meeting, in fact, was "as big as all outdoors." So great was the rush of signers that not half of those who clamored for a pen could be accommodated, and as a consequence the books of the union will be kept open for two weeks to give every straphanger in the city a chance to attach his John Hancock to the constitution.

A street car conductor who sought to become a member was ejected from the park. When the committee demanded that he show an elongated right arm or a bunch of mashed toes, he acknowledged with a shamed face that he had neither. He was condemned to return to his car.

That well-known citizen, Dan D. Walker, was unanimously elected president of the union.

Three other enthusiastic straphangers—Rudy Roarer, Rank Serviss and Ruff House—well-known to every street car patron in the city, were elected to office with one acclaim.

Mr. Roarer was made vice-president; Mr. Serviss, secretary, and Mr. House, have gone?

OFFICERS.

Dan D. Walker, President.
Rudy Roarer, Vice-President.
Rank Serviss, Secretary.
Ruff House, Treasurer.

DIRECTORS.

Vet E. Rann, E. Z. Mark, H. E. Bellows, Thenex Carr, Ole Ironsides, A. Kicker, Hugh Wood Barrett.

treasurer.

An excellent board of directors was chosen, consisting of those sterling citizens and popular straphangers, Messrs. Vet E. Rann, E. Z. Mark, H. E. Bellows, Thenex Carr, Ole Ironsides, A. Kicker and Hugh Wood Barrett.

Immediately after the organization had been completed a telegram of sympathy and support was sent to Straphangers' Union, No. 1, of Troy, N. Y., The following reply was received this morning:

TROY, N. Y., Jan. 13.

Dar D. Walker, President St. Louis Straphangers' Union, No. 2:

Glad to see you start off with such a strapping membership. Take care of the seats; the street car men will take care of themselves. You know the name of the heroine of ancient Troy? Well, that is what we are giving them in Troy, N. Y.

HORACE S. VAN VOAST, President.

A special messenger was sent to General Manager Robert McCulloch of the United Railways Co., daring him to be present at the meeting tonight, when union rules will be adopted. The messenger is missing. Where could he

NEWS FROM WASHINGTON

By Wireless to the Post-Dispatch From Clark McAdams.

What's the news from Washington? Eh? D'ye mean it, man?
Roosevelt's amazing vogue has passed meridian?
Friends that used to track with him have turned to take a whack at him,
And foes that want a crack at him are boldly getting back at him!
What will all the lions say, that he has chased about?
Isn't this a likely day for them to venture out?

What's the news from Teddyville? From little Roughandreadyville?
Morales has fled the strain, leaving Teddy to explain!
Teddy's catching thunder of 't! Alleged he made a blunder of 't!
And ev'rywhere is wonder of 't if things will go asunder of 't!
What will all the grizzlies say, that he put up the glens?
Isn't this a day when they may venture from their dens?

What's the news from Bullyville? From dashing Wildandwoolyville?
Teddy flagelated raw about the work in Panama!
Ev'rybody on his ear, crying to the people "Hear!
Teddy is no engineer, and things are in a pretty smear!"
What will all the lobos say, that he has oft' affrighted?
Isn't this a lovely day for them to howl "De-lighted?"

What's the news from Square Deal Creek? What's the news from Heavy Stick?
Is the great Rough Rider glum? Is his bronco bucking some?
Is the Senate, long in dread of his terrifying tread
Venturing from 'neath the bed and brandishing its fists at Ted?
What will the coyotes say, that he has chased with pops?
Isn't this a rare old day for them to tick their chops?

SMALL JOKES.

Biting Sarcasm.

He: Don't you think that some of her sayings are smart?

She: They aren't, but they do.—Brooklyn Life.

Lazy Linotyper.

"Wha'd he get fired for?" "Pigheaded. Couldn't get him to set Russian names anyway except by leaning his elbow on the keyboard of the machine."—Indianapolis News.

The Test of Greatness.

"Were you ever a reformer?"

"Oh, yes," answered Senator Sorghum. "But I've found that being a reformer is like a great many other things. Success depends on knowing just when to quit."—Washington Star.

Under the Rule.

Rodney: Do you have trouble with "shall" and "will?"

Dickey: Nope; my wife says "you shall," and I say "I will."—Puck.

Above Board.

"May I ask if I am in the market for a bid for your affections?" asked the youth who did everything in a business-like way.

"You must go to par before I can take any stock in your offer," answered the dutiful broker's daughter.—Baltimore American.

Good Resolutions.

"Are you going to swear off this year as usual?"

"Yes—taxes."

Right in His Line.

"What you reckon the devil will do with the Coal Trust?"

"Hush! He's a stockholder."—Atlanta Constitution.

MEXICAN COMMENT

From the Mexican Herald.

BUENOS AYRES had a sweltering holiday season. The mercury was ambitious and ran for the top of the tube.

Glad to see so many American papers supporting the Longworth bill appropriating $5,000,000 to build official residences for American Ambassadors and Ministers in foreign capitals. Something should be done in this direction so that great diplomatic posts shall not be limited to men of wealth. It is not democratic to make it impossible for a man of small private mreans to hold a diplomatic position.

A "man from Mexico," recently interviewed in Washington, says that this city is becoming one of the most beautiful cities in the world." This is complimentary, and really the plans for the embellishment of this capital will, when carried to completion, make it a notably handsome city.

Long time between earthquakes. A line like this may hurry one along.

The men who wanted to sell Tio Samuel the French island of Tahiti could not deliver the goods, as the French Government had not been consulted.

COL. TODHUNTER

The Genial Kentuckian Falls Afoul of Evil Luck in a Gentleman's Game.

Transmitted to the Post-Dispatch
By Ripley D. Saunders.

"I HATE to think it, suh," said Col. Thurs. T. Todhunter ruefully, but I'll be eternally condemned if I don't believe I've been hoodooed. 'One woe doth tread upon another's heels,' as the poet says, suh, so fast they follow.

"In addition to my unfortunate experience with a tree-climbing automobile, my one-afternoon career as a star jackass on the golf links, my humiliating tussle with the two-step at the D. O. C. ball, my disaster among women in the Christmas shopping rush, my terrible sufferings at a Choral-Symphony concert, and the recent cataclysm of my swearing-off on New Year's Day, suh, I sat in a gentleman's game of poker last night—and if you've ever seen boys skin a bullfrog alive, suh, you know just what was done to me.

"And I needed the money in my Jefferson Club campaign, suh.

"That's why I lost, for a man who needs the money can no more play poker, suh, than he could go skating in Hades. Fate stacks the cards against him, and he's as bound to come out at the little end of the horn as he's bound to use force in separating himself from an old maid at a country sociable, suh. No truly wise man ever puts himself in the path of either calamity, suh—but none of us can be truly wise all the time.

"Yet it ain't of my losing that I complain, suh. I regret to say, suh, that I lost my temper in the consolation round of jackpots and made a howling idiot out of myself by challenging him to mortal combat. After which, naturally enough, suh, I couldn't ask him to accept my I. O. U. for the amount I owed the bank, and so had to go down in my jeans for a reserve fund that I'd salted away for my Jefferson Club presidential race, suh.

"And that leaves me worse busted, suh, than a fat man in a thin man's pants.

"But I had justification for wrath, suh, because, after losing all evening on good hands, my nerve went back on me and I'll be dad-blamed if I didn't let that same facetious winner bluff me out on a bobtail flush when I had three trays, suh, and we was playing for the biggest jackpot of the evening. That's the way a long-time loser gets whipsawed, suh—but when that pot-swiping funny man came back at me again the next hand with his 'ante up and look pleasant'—well, there was some Kentucky eloquence in the atmosphere, suh.

"So here I am, suh—in the very thick of a personal campaign for the highest honor of my life and strapped flatter'n a pancake, suh. Somebody worked a 'cunjur-spell' on me, suh, as sure as I live and breathe in a world of trial and tribulation."

ANSWERS to Post-Dispatch READERS

RULES—One question; one initial. No business addresses given. No bets. Only simple legal questions. Address "Answers," Post-Dispatch; postal cards if convenient.

J.—Suum cuique, to each his due.

O. H. L.—Muskogee population, 4254.

A.—We have no nabisco wafers recipe.

E. H. A.—Congressman Wood, Democrat.

P. C.—We know of no retail furniture board.

NAVY.—Second largest Missouri city, Kansas City.

M. J.—Bank of Chattanooga notes, 1858-60, are of no value.

J. T. R.—Neither the Pope nor King Alfonso is a Freemason.

T. G. S.—For sty, see page 8, Post-Dispatch Magazine, Jan. 14.

W. D. D.—Peter Sterling is supposed to represent Grover Cleveland.

R. F.—Notice to vacate goes into effect 30 days from date of service.

B. O. R.—We could not well publish the office secrets of a contemporary.

F. F.—Largest railroad system, Vanderbilt, 12,000 miles. Rock Island is to be.

VIOLET.—A crowd of sensible girls may properly take a trip to Jefferson Barracks.

CONSTANT.—Matthew Kiely was Assistant Chief of Police from Oct. 17, 1895, to May 2, 1898.

H. J.—You should write to the theater managers your suggestion in regard to negroes in the theaters.

M. R. S.—Stamp upside down, left corner, "I love you;" right corner, "My heart is another's—write no more."

J. W.—Rockefeller, estimated, $500,000,000. The Czar of Russia is supposed to be the richest man in the world.

EDMUND.—You would have to personally seek or advertise for work between 7 and 10 p. m. It is very scarce.

F. X. C.—Persons not yet citizens of the United States, says the statute, must serve as jurors if summoned.

D. H.—Correspondence in regard to estates in the Netherlands can be carried on through the Netherlands consulate.

FREDA.—Send your poems to any magazine publishing verses similar to yours. Newstands are full of all sorts of magazines.

DORA.—To darken red hair: Steep one ounce best black tea in pint boiling water; let stand until cold; strain; add 2½ ounces Jamaica rum. Apply to roots.

A. W. H.—The trouble is in your vocal cords, and the case is one for a capable specialist, if you "speak harsh and then again all right." Of course the cough medicine was useless.

A. M.—Unless otherwise agreed in writing, tenant must repair, even though the roof leak and the cellar be flooded. The flooded cellar might suggest a complaint to the Health Department.

SUFFERER.—If you are tired, lazy, sleepy and can't keep your eyes open when they ought to be so, take two baths a week and sponge every morning. See that your bed is not too soft, sleep with the window open and keep the bowels right.

BABY.—The crust on baby's head will disappear if you will soften it with sweet oil, rubbing gently, and use pure, good soap in washing the scalp. See that the little one is properly nourished, the food of the mother being all that it should be.

G. W.—All employes of the United States Government, including soldiers and sailors, are advised by their superiors to pay their just debts, and it improves their record when they obey the advice. But the Government cannot be garnisheed in any proceeding.

E. C.—For indigestion, teaspoonful pure glycerine after each meal, in half wineglass of water. Try it two or three weeks. Try to find food that agrees with you, avoiding tea, coffee, condiments and cooked grease. Breathe deeply of pure air and be sure of sufficient exercise. Bite every mouthful 50 times.

M. K. T.—If the man is the host, i. e., escorting the woman to a theater seat or church pew, or to one selected by himself, he precedes her to show her where it is. Upon reaching it he opens the door and steps back to let her pass in first. If an usher conducts them the woman follows him and the man after her. Better let him buy the bonbons.

READER.—Love is considered by some as a disease, or temporary insanity; by others as a holy, absorbing affection lasting even beyond the grave. All lovers do not feel or act exactly alike. An Illinois grocer has defined love as "a certain sensation that does not make you feel much different from usual." Miss Greeley-Smith finds that most love is merely a projection of self-love.

A WILD MIDNIGHT RIDE IN A RAILROAD AUTOMOBILE

Lute H. Johnson in Motor Field.



One of the pioneer automobile transportation lines of the country is that on the Utah Railroad, which runs from Mack, Colo., on the Rio Grande Western Railroad line, a short distance west of Grand Junction, Colo., to Dragon, Utah. The railroad was built to reach the gilsonite and other deposits in the Uintah reservation district, and heavy freight is hauled in regulation locomotive and freight car fashion, or carrying the mail and passenger traffic, a railway automobile is employed, the motor car making trips on schedule like a regular passenger train. From Dragon a stage line, with automobile and horse-drawn wagons alternating in services, carries the passengers and mail west.

Before and during the opening of the Uintah reservation, the lines were patronized extensively, and the accompanying article by Mr. Johnson describes a trip from Dragon to Mack on the railway automobile.

WE had come far since daybreak, 68 miles by stage over mountain roads. We wanted to get on to the railroad that led to the city and home. They told us there was a way, that it led to the foot of that mountain over there and then wound and twisted to the top as never a snake writhes, through a notch, and down, more windings and twistings, to the bottom, beyond which lay the junction with the main line. There was no train, but a dinky of an automobile ran sometimes when there was no train and they said that it held room for six and the driver. There were six of us; two traveling men, with grips to load a stage, three public officials and another who goes around just to see why others are going around.

The hill rose sheer and black and ominous looking. Its shadow in the moonlight looked anything but inviting, but they said there was a way to a notch in its skyline and that the dinky of a motor car could find it. Three public officials accustomed to easy berths, regular meals, Pullman seats and first floor fronts, all at the same price, began to ask what the stage terminal town afforded in the way of hotel accommodations. It did not look good to them. The two commercial men, used to sleeping with a grip for a pillow, said that tomorrow they could work Grand Junction by going on the dinky and catching No. 6 on the main line. The three officials were told that a horse blanket for a bed and a grab breakfast in a cook tent in the morning passed the superlative degree of the hotel accommodations; they didn't like the menu. The sixth said it looked a good game to him. So the dinky was ordered round and came fretting and chugging hoarsely over being awakened at 10 o'clock at night to start 55 miles over the mountains. But it stood still while the hostler was doing things to the boiler and the traveling men were adding new standards to which to tie the grips. They had already roped stacks of them to the steps and piled a few on top. The hostler looked up from his boiler once, asked if the commercial men thought this was a freight car, grunted something about 7½ per cent grades, a seven-horsepower engine and such a thing as overdoing a thing; grunted again a command to stow in, did something to the dinky that started it coughing and moving at the same time, and in just a minute the world was slipping backward at a rate of some 24 miles an hour.

The track to the bottom of the hill seemed to come out of the distance all right everytime it was needed, and just in time to prevent the dinky from toughing off into space, but still there were six who would need to be shown that there was going to be equal success in finding a way over that black mountain that loomed nearer and nearer and promised to stop the fun. With a ringing click of steel the wheels of the dinky purred reassuringly that all was going to be well and the machine dropped its wheeze as it warmed to the game and settled down to a rippling chug-chug-chug that sounded something like a laugh as it tossed off mile posts. For an hour it skated over the steel rails with a lively hum and a punctuating click of rail ends, then slowed up and stopped at a lake where the hostler got out gave it a drink, commenting soto voce that its coppers were a bit hot, its boiler foaming, and that it was not working just its best, but that he had hopes.

The three officials began to mutter about getting dumped out at the foot of a mountain, 20 miles from even a horse blanket, and looked suspiciously at the black hill that now appeared a close and pressing reality.

The per cent of grade that steam engines of the ordinary type balk at, saying 7½ is altogether too much, now began to assert itself and the hostler threw a lever that slowed the dinky down and made it grind and groan as though saying: "Hey, you fellows, you think this is fun, eh?" "You think climbing a tree with this kind of a load is a snap, do ye; just get out and try it awhile."

But we told it it was doing nobly and that we were very well content to sit where we were, even wedged in between grips and other fellows' knees, and take chances.

It seemed to take heart, for it chugchugged more noisily and we could feel the strain of its muscles as it skated along over curves that made the moon that was just peeping over the rim of the mountain appear to be spinning around the skyline. But the moon had its place and its use; it helped every now and then to assure that the track was at least ten feet longer and hold out hope that after all the dinky was going to find the way. There was still doubt about the notch at the top, however.

Great tunnels of shade emerged to shut off the flight until we began to sympathize with the machine and say it was too much; that it at least might be left to see its way. When it was not a shadow, a bend in the road was hiding the trail until no man could hazzard a guess how much longer the play was to last. It was the snake-like part of the road; six miles up and as many down until the hill was crossed. To make it in daylight was enough to make one dizzy, so eternally was it a bend, a curve, a loop, a mule shoe, and a seeming spiral of track. This way along the mountain side through clumps of trees, black shadows, winding, wiggling, ever upward; then, a sweep, and back the way we came, but ever a bit higher, zig-zagging, winding, wiggling up and up and on and on, the chug-chug-chug incessant, insistent, rythmatic.

An hour had gone. There was too much to think about to allow any waste of thought or time in talk. Once, a half-hour back, the traveling man in front, said positively:

"It is the ride of a lifetime," and seemed prepared to defend the remark.

Off yonder, as the grade raised the dinky into an airship, high above the valley lying peacefully and quiet down there in the moonlight, came far away blue peaks to peek over others of their kind less high and less far away, to inquire what manner of wild thing was nosing its way up Baxter Mountain at midnight.

The other commercial man took it all in with a businesslike grasp and declared:

"It is the ride of a lifetime."

The other fellow wiggled himself around to make sure he was seeing the same panorama of mountain view and when convinced, agreed with: "You may book my order for another case of the same."

With every chug-chug and choo-choo-choo of the dinky the view widened as the machine seemed bodily to lift itself higher and higher on the hillside and draw closer and closer to the top. Off yonder in the moonlight a carpet of mountain tops was spreading out for miles and miles, half across a state's breadth, mellowing in shades of blues, the snow tops of the far-away range blinting in the soft light of the midnight moon with a grandeur that only deep-drawn breaths and awed thoughts of the universal gradeur can express to the mind that is seeing it all. Wider and wider and grander grew the view until one of the three officials, with a deep-drawn sigh and awed voice, warmed up at last with:

"I tell you that is grand."

Then, as the stillness of the night rhymed only with the song of the rails and the car, the man who hadn't said a word all day, in stage or motor, drew a deep, sigh-like breath, filled his lungs with the cold air of the mountain top, sighed and with eyes staring off there upon the mountain top and valley blue, unqualifiedly pledged:

"If you insist, I'll agree with you."

The other official cleared his throat and we were just ready to hear: "Fellow citizens: On this glorious and momentous occa——" when suddenly the dinky flipped itself around a corner of rock that was exactly like 17,000 others of the same we had known to flip itself around without anything of the kind occurring, and there before us was a V-shaped notch in the mountain top, which we had hunted and hunted and found at last. Off there again was more of the same great carpet of mountain tops similar to that on the dark side of the hill, but over here all was brilliancy and moonlight, and soft glow of silver instead of blue and blue and blue.

The dinky chuckled to itself just a minute; then the hostler choked off its voice and left it gurgling a bit as it shot on through the V-like notch and began to sing another song. There was just time to look down over the shoulder of the hill and get an idea of how many millions of miles it was from way up there on top to way down there at the bottom, when six fairly able-bodied, optimistic minded and ambitious gentlemen ordinately in love with life, discovered that something was doing that they had not just exactly reckoned in their philosophy when they agreed to use the dinky to catch a train.

"Zip-p-p! I'm going home," the dinky was whistling.

"You needn't be so all-fired hurried about it," the other fellows were saying.

"I-I-I say-y-y, this is too fast," gasped the man who hadn't said a thing all day.

"You needn't be in such a hurry on my account," mildly suggested one of the commercial men to the chauffeur.

The answer was a flit around a curve that left none with breath enough to make a further immediate protest.

But there was some considerable thinking being done. One wondered whether the brake worker was a married man and had children expecting him home; it would be comforting to know that he had.

Here is a long run with just a few flits of curves until—"gee whizz! Are we still coming?" That was a stiff one and the steel wheels of the car gritted hard as they bit into the edge of the outer rail; had they climbed a hair's breadth higher upon it that curve would not have been turned.

A railroad friend once said that a train was safest upon a properly built curve; that the raising of the outer rail really checked the speed and assured greater safety than straight track; but these rails were laid for a Shea engine that can have no raising of the outer one on the curve, and all the greater was the danger, so that assurance went glimmering. Even a drowning man cannot rely on the straw he grasps.

Miles were slipping behind at a frightful clip; the dinky was visibly settling lower down into the valley and there was some consolation in the thought that the fall would not be so far if it went off.

There was a whir of the steel rails as the wheels reeled over it; a grinding of wheel and rail at the curves; the moonlight with its doubts of shadows on the track ahead, the inability to see what lay beyond, the swiftness of the descent, kept the thrill of death feared at every instant of the trip; six men's chances on future life were on the block for six bits and no taker.

One was lucky to find a laugh to save his fears; in that moment came up to relieve the tension the blanched face of a tramp boy who, years before out on the plains, had piled off a handcar rigged with a lateen rail, after a dart of nine miles in seven minutes. Asked how he liked the ride he had invited upon himself, he had gasped: "Honest to God, mister, we just flew." The laughing one was wondering if his face looked as did that of the boy that day in the years ago.

There are rock slides in the mountains; a pebble on the rail would have been disastrous; around this cliff, down this breath-taking shoot, for instance, the least—the flit around the curve is made and from the center of the track leaps a steer—hully gee! Another foot and the dinky, its brake now biting savagely at the rails, would have hit it; the animal leaps in alarm from the track and stands glued to the rock side of the cut as the dinky grazes its hips and slips on a few notches faster to make up for the lost instant of time.

"If ever I get out of this," murmured one of the the officials, and it sounded like a prayer.

"You won't," assured his visavis.

"Zippitty, zippitty, zippitty, zip! It is the bottom of the hill; we breathe a sigh of relief and suppose it is all over, but the brakeworker has settled back in his seat, thrown off all resistance, and let her go. It had not been foreseen, but after all there was no great yawning valley down there any more, no sharp curves, and a 40-mile clip on a straightaway one can pass through without insistent thoughts about his life insurance. There is, too, such a thing as getting used to danger and the expectation of death.

"If that would not put all the figure eights, scenic railways, shoot the chutes, loop the loops and dips of death on earth in the scrap heap I don't know what would," said the other fellow, when the dinky stopped at the bottom for more water and to let its coppers cool.

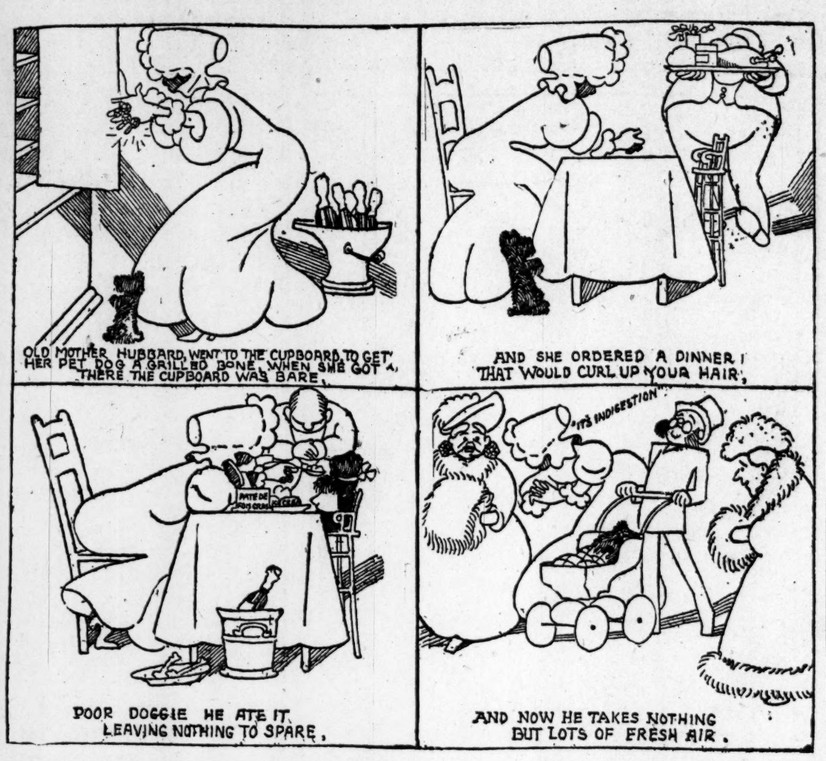
There was an hour or more of straight sailing ahead; some of it by the officials' stop watches went 1:45 from mile post to mile post; all of it pretty fast, thank you, but when it was over, the junction was reached and all were safe, one commercial man turned to the other and said: "What do you say to cutting out Grand Junction and taking it over again?"

"Me?" said the other. "Me?"

But the officials didn't say a word; only stared wild-eyed at the proposer.

MOTHER GOOSE REVISED

FOR POST-DISPATCH, By T. O. McGILL.



A FEW CHOICE STORIES

Gathered From Many Sources for the Post-Dispatch.

She Was Feeble-Minded.

Rev. Sam Jones had been lecturing in Atlanta on behalf of the Bible Society and as he walked from the pulpit an old woman came and congratulated him upon his excellent lecture. As she was moving away a "pillar of the church" approached and, supposing that some unwelcome criticism had been made by the old lady, said, "Oh, don't mind her; she's feeble-minded."

Not An Expert.

Two men were having an argument. Being unable to arrive at a satisfactory conclusion, they agreed to leave the decision to the first person who passed that way. This happened to be an aged colored man, named Jackson.

Taking their case to him, one of them said: "Jackson, we are having an argument and we want you, as a man of experience, to decide this question for us. Which is the cheaper: To move or pay rent?"

"Gemmen," replied the old colored man; "I doan' 'siddah dat I'm de propah pusson to 'cide dis case. I'se got no 'sperfunse. I'se allus moved."

A Dun Done.

"Some men," said John D. Rockefeller Jr. in an address in New York, "use the law to do harm with, instead of to do good. They resemble a member of one of our well-known clubs.

"This man sat in the club dining room at lunch, when a bill collector, having somehow eluded the attendants in the hall, walked up to him and laid on the table his overdue account.

"The clubman glared at the account, his fork suspended in the air. Then, solemnly and indignantly, he handed the paper back to the collector.

"'How dare you,' he said, 'infringe upon the rules of my club in this manner? Don't you know a man's club is like his home? Don't you know I can have you forcibly ejected for coming in here without a card of membership or an introduction? The rules of this club require that, if you have business with a member, you wait in the hall while an attendant brings in your name. Now I demand that you go out into the hall immediately, taking this bill with you, and that you send in your card to me in the proper way.'

"The collector, red in the face, but hopeful on the whole, complied. He retired to the hall, and sent in his card with all formality.

"The clubman, eating steadily, received the card on a silver salver. He studied it gravely. Then he said to the waiter:

"'Not at home.'"

A Customer's Name.

A man with a soft, low voice had just completed his purchases in the department store.

"What is the name?" asked the clerk.

"Jepson," replied the man

"Chipson?"

"No, Jepson."

"O, yes, Jefferson."

"No, Jepson; J-e-p-s-o-n."

"Jepson?"

"That's it. You have it."

"Your first name; initial, please."

"Oh, K."

"O. K. Jepson."

"Excuse me, it isn't O. K. You did not understand me. I said 'Oh.'"

"O. Jepson."

"No; rub out the O. and let the K. stand."

The clerk looked annoyed. "Will you please give me your initials again?"

"I said K."

"I beg your pardon, you said O. K. Perhaps you had better write it yourself."

"I said 'Oh'"——

"Just now you said K."

"Allow me to finish what I started to say. I said 'Oh' because I did not understand what you were asking me. I did not mean that it was my initial. My name is Kirby Jepson."

"Oh."

"No, not O., but K.," said the man. "Give me the pencil and I'll write it down for you myself. There, I guess it's O. K. now."

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"He got to be a mere skeleton, and was hardly able to walk. My Aunt advised me to try Cuticura Soap and Ointment. So great was her faith in it that she gave me a small piece of Soap to try and a little of the Ointment. I took it home without any faith, but to please her I tried it, and it seemed to dry up the sores a little.
"I sent to the drug store and got a cake of the Soap and a box of the Ointment and followed the directions, and at the end of about two months the sores were all well. He has never had any sores of any kind since.
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Edited by J. B. Sheridan.

DOYLE DESIGNATES HIS BOXING BRAVES

Manager of West End Club Announces Names of Men He Will Pit Against M. A. C.

Mal Doyle of the West End Club announced Saturday morning his nominations for the open boxing tournament to be held at the Missouri Athletic Club Jan. 27.

The list comprises the names of the boxers who have distinguished themselves in the recent tournaments held at the club, and judging from the list of names, some strenuous boxing will ensue before the decisions are announced naming the winners of the events.

On form Doyle's two best candidates appear to be Tommy Murphy, his lightweight champion, and heavyweight Jack McLain.

Murphy vis-a-vis in the tournament will be Bobby Charlton, a clever, hard-hitting cheap, who does not resent a body pummeling. If Murphy can reach 136 pounds without weakening himself he should win this bout.

In the 115-pound class John Rogers, a miniature Tom Sharkey, will oppose Morris Schneider, the Post-Dispatch newsboy, who is amateur champion of all the 115-pound boys. Schneider, while not the personification of speed on his feet, is a terrific puncher, and his go with Rogers should prove to be the event of the evening's sport.

In the 125-pound class Terence McGraw will oppose Joe Thomas, a Chicago find of Athletic Director Bassett. Judging from the caliber of marvels excavated before at the M. A. C., McGraw, who is husky and willing, should make a good account of himself in this class.

Harry Agnew will probably be selected to meet Joe Lydon in the 125-pound class. Agnew is a youngster, but is strong, willing and is fairly clever.

John McCann will be entered in the heavyweight class. The M. A. C. has no representative in this group, and unless it obtain a man to meet McCann the medal will be awarded to him by default, although before accepting such a calamity Mr. Bassett would probably introduce John Sauter into both the 158-pound and heavyweight classes.

No opponent for Frank Gescheke has been selected as yet by Doyle for the 145 and 158-pound groups.

The selection of a candidate for the 158-pound class is not causing him any worriment, but Doyle has to get an opponent to meet Frank Gescheke, the modern Dutch Sam, who defeated Jim Blesch, the professional, at the last tournament of the M. A. C.

REED CHALLENGES SOCKER WARRIORS

Pugnacious Player Issues Defiance to St. Louis on Behalf of Shamrock Club.

Con Reed, the captain of the Shamrock football team, has issued a challenge to play any football team in the city a series of games for the local championship.

Reed's challenge is particularly directed at the All Stars, who, he says, are the legitimate champions of the city since the disorganization of the picked team that opposed McKenna's hirelings in two games.

Reed argues that the Shamrocks were leading the St. Louis Football Association at the time of its disbandment and claims his charges are hence the logical candidates for the All Stars to play.

Reed claims that he will allow the selection of time, place and referee to his opponents and that the sole desire of himself and players is to have the title of city champions decided.

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BRITONS BUSY IN SPORTING FIELD

Athletics Were Never in Such Thriving Condition As at Present in England.

E. G. Lynberry, with 1m. 35s. start, won the two-and-a-half-mile handicap of the Blackheath Harriers on Dec. 20, his actual time being 13m. 30s. H. J. L. Cavenaugh covered the distance from scratch in 12m. 40s., the fastest actual time.

No less than 28 cross-country runs were held on Dec. 23 in and about London.

Middlesex Beats Essex Four.

Middlesex beat Essex at Lea Bridge on Dec. 24th in an inter-club chock fours race mainly through the efforts of their stroke. T. Cantor, Britannia R. C., and holder of the N. A. R. A. (Lea Branch) junior sculls, who filled a vacant place, although the club had been defeated on the opening day, Dec. 17th.

The date for the Oxford-Cambridge match has been set for April over the Walton Heath course. An expert figures that Cambridge should win with the assistance of Mr. A. G. Barry.

By their wonderful play in helping to defeat Essex by eight goals, the following Surrey men were chosen to represent the South against the West Jan. 6th. H. R. Jordan (Croydon) S. H. Sloveller (Hempstead) and N. Nightingale (Ealing).

The Light Blues (Cambridge University) lost the last match of their vacation tour to East Sheen at Richmond on Dec. 20th by two goals to nil.

Racing Club de France lost two hockey matches to the Englishmen, one on Dec. 23d to the Vagabonds at Earlsfield by 2 to 1 and the other on Sunday, Dec. 24th at Maiden, to H. G. Pohl Hockey Eleven by two goals to one.

Douglas Wants to Fight Bowker.

Arthur Douglas, featherweight champion of South Africa, is in London, anxious to make negotiations with Jem Bowker at 122 pounds. Judging from his record of knockouts he will be quite a formidable opponent for the English champion.

Dan Hyman of South Africa is another champion who is being besieged for matches, though, if his match three weeks ago at the National Sporting Club is any criterion, he would be easy picking for the card-raters in America.

It would seem to Americans as if the heavyweight championship of England was not all the class it should be when Geoff Thorne is one of the contenders, for, as everyone knows, he made a sorry showing his last time across the pond. The matter of his defeat by Jack Palmer on Dec. 18 is ancient history now.

The fact that four-ounce gloves are generally used will interest the average boxer doing three-round stunts at the private clubs, in New York, where anything from six to eight-ounce gloves, are used.

Great consternation is felt in the camps of Hackenschmidt and Madrali for Casau, a great French wrestler, has arrived and has thrown down the gauntlet to both of these men. He may be matched to meet Madrali first.

At the Swansea on Dec. 21 New Zealanders defeated Glammorgan in a Rugby match by a score of 9 points to nil. At Newport on Dec. 25 they defeated Newport by 6 to 3. This makes 29 victories out of 30 games played for the Colonials, the only game they lost going to Wales. They have scored 816 points to 28 for their opponents.

French Play Rugby.

There is great excitement in Paris over the match between the Frenchmen and the New Zealanders on Jan. 20. The French team is not yet chosen, but there is no question that none but natives will be played against the Colonials, although many of the members of the clubs from which the team will be selected are foreigners. The governing body of the U. S. F. S. A. will not, however, allow any foreigners to take part.

Alarm is felt that Rugby may supercede socker at Eton, for the old game is to be taken up there at Easter. Mr. C. M. Wells, the old international half, who is master at the college, will make a good coach.

Not since 1864, the date of its inception, has the Serpentine Christmas Handicap receive such a large number of entries as this year. The total is 44 and among the number is Harry Wilson, winner in 1899, W. J. Grosvenor, winner in 1900; R. Marsh, winner of Daily Telegraph Cup; R. G. McMillan, one of Scotland's fastest sprinters, and Hans Voigt, the German back swimmer. The result is as follows: C. Carroll, Serpentine S. C., 50s.

Mexico Special.

New semi-weekly through solid vestibuled train (Tuesdays and Fridays) between St. Louis and City of Mexico, leaving Union Station at 9 a. m. via **Iron Mountain Route,** beginning Tuesday, Jan. 16. Ticket office, 6th and Olive and Union Station.

FOOTBALL RISKS AND INSURANCE.

H. F. Grahame, the forward of the Innisfails football team of the St. Louis Amateur League, who broke his ankle at Kulage Park while engaged in a game, Jan. 6, received substantial confirmation on Friday, that the practice of association is not regarded as dangerous by the life and accident insurance companies as rugby.

Grahame's accident occurred on a muddy field, his foot slipping in the soft turf and his ankle turning and breaking, the slight resistance and support afforded by his soft shoe being of little assistance to him.

After the accident Grahame was unable to resume his occupation of clerk and has been spending his idle moments in December and for the last week on crutches.

He claims that he applied to a local company for life and accident insurance. When the question was asked him how he had sustained the injury to his foot, Grahame announced that he was a football player, and had met with the accident while engaged in a game.

When the rate of premium was read to him he told the agent he could not afford to pay such an amount and that negotiations for the sale of the policy would have to be declared off.

Later in the day Grahame claims to have been called up by telephone. Then ensued a conversation in which the insurance agent wanted to know what kind of football Grahame played—association or rugby. Grahame told him association.

"I could hear the sigh of relief that that agent heaved," said Grahame. "Then he said: 'Your all right—I thought you played the rugby game. You can come in at the same rate as anybody else.'

"That answer set me to thinking," said Mr. Grahame, "that the havoc created by rugby is estimated in other ways besides clinical reports and mortuary lists."

Briggs Loses to Coffey.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Jimmy Briggs of Chelsea and Kid Coffey fought a slow three-round bout at the Sharkey A. C. last night, Coffey having a shade the better of the go.

MURPHY WOULD BACK KID VAN

Merry Michael Says He Will Wager That His Boy Can Whip Any 115-Pounder.

Kid Van, the young man with the sturdy physique, who startled the spectators at the West End Club's tournament Thursday night by his adoption of the ring tactics of Battling Nelson and by switching his handle from Van to Vandamant, has issued a challenge to any 115-pound boy in the country to fight for money, marbles or chalk.

Van is not extraordinarily clever, but as an assimilator of punishment he is a worthy prototype of the present legitimate lightweight champion of the world. Like Nelson he is willing to exchange wallops, and in the event that he cannot make any other compromise, is willing at any time to take three punches in order to land one of his own manufacture.

Van should succeed better in the professional than in the amateur arena, for the rules of the Amateur Athletic Union are not in accord with his methods of battling. Van is desirous of hearing from all fighters in the 115-pound class. He can be addressed care of his backer, Mike Murphy, 19 North Broadway.

SATURDAY SOCKER'S HEAVY SCHEDULE

Much Importance Is Attached to Game Between St. Louis U. and Triple A Teams.

Particular importance is attached to the Saturday Afternoon League game between the St. Louis University and Triple A socker teams on account of the narrowness of the race for the silver loving cup which is to be given to the winner of the title of league champion.

A win for the Blue and White means second place for them and a victory for the Three A players will send them into the second position.

The game will be started at 3 o'clock and will be played on the Triple A grounds. Paul McSweeney will referee the contest.

At the Christian Brothers' grounds, the Y. M. C. A. eleven will meet the C. B. C. team. The Central's players have been playing a much improved game lately and Saturday they hope to reach the apex of a Saturday Afternoon League member's dream—a victory over the C. B. C. team, a consummation that has not yet been effected this year.

The players will line up at 3 o'clock, with Mr. Cross officiating as referee.

BASEBALL GOSSIP.

Pitcher Bob Wicker has signed a 1906 Chicago contract.

Umpire O'Day says he never knew the equal of Tom Brown for speed in running the bases.

Amos Rusie now says he has no intention of trying to play ball this year, as reported.

Dave Brain has written President Dreyfuss that he is satisfied with his transfer to Brooklyn.

President Pulliam says the problem of getting good umpires causes him more trouble than all the rest of his worries.

Manager Donovan of Brooklyn declares that he could not persuade Pitcher Mike O'Neil to sign, he having retired for good.

President Dreyfuss of the Pittsburg club presented each member of the Pirate team with a $100 check as a Yuletide offering.

Manager Tenney of Boston is undecided between Charlottesville, Va., and Raleigh, N. C., as a training place for the Beaneaters.

The Boston club is trading Jim Delehanty to Cincinnati for Substitute Infielder Hinchman. Hanlon proposes to try "Del" at third base.

President Pulliam has promulgated the releases of John Lobert by Chicago to Cincinnati, and of Tom Walker by Cincinnati to Columbus.

Pitcher Joe Corbett is bedridden with rheumatism in San Francisco. He has been unable to attend to his hat store for nearly a month.

The Cincinnati club has given official notice that Pitchers Ed Van Anda and Tracy Johns have been returned respectively to Canton and Dayton.

John McPhee, former manager of the Cincinnati Reds, has gone to New Orleans to spend the rest of the winter in the vicinity of the horse races.

The contracts of Arthur E. Meier and Harry Newmyer with Pittsburg and of Carl Drubot with Cincinnati have been approved by President Pulliam.

All the National League clubs are said to have waived claim to pitcher Pat Flaherty of the Pittsburgs. That means back to the minors for Pat.

Fred Tenney expects to make another deal or two before the season opens. He would like to swap Cozy Dolan and one or two others for a first-class man.

Manager Donovan of the Brooklyns, who is spending the holidays at Lawrence, Mass., says that he has several deals under way for new players, but refuses to disclose the names.

Pittsburg now has 13 pitchers on its roster, will take eight to the Hot Springs and retain six for the campaign. It is certain that Flaherty and Robertaille will be among the departing.

John McGraw says that pitcher Mathewson has changed his style entirely in the last two or three years, and is not using the speed he did when McGraw assumed charge of the New York team.

CONGRESSMAN WHO IS TO MARRY MISS ROOSEVELT IS A GOLFER



NICHOLAS LONGWORTH M C

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C. B. C. BOYS TO RUN IN ST. LOUIS MEET

General Resumption of Athletic Relations Between the Colleges Seems a Certainty.

That the resumption of athletic relations between the St. Louis University and Christian Brothers elevens is complete was confirmed by the announcement made at the Christian Brothers' College Friday that the C. B. C. track team would participate in the big indoor meet to be given by the St. Louis University at the Coliseum in March.

The C. B. C. track squad has been diligently at work for the past month for the meet and the opinion is prevalent that the Cote Brilliante boys want to as easily demonstrate their superiority over the Blue and White athletes in track competition as they did in socker football.

Will and Pete Ratican, Tom and Charley January, Ryan, Lemcke, Brockmeyer and Longinotti are the members of the C. B. C. squad who are expected to tabulate more points at the big indoor meet than the representatives of St. Louis U.

INDOOR GAMES AT MISSOURI A. C.

Closed Track Meet Will Entertain Members of Big Club This Evening.

A feature of the closed indoor track meet of the M. A. C., Saturday night to be held at the club's gymnasium, will be the appearance of a number of athletes who will make their inaugural appearance in a track meet.

The events are scheduled to start at 8:30 o'clock.

The entries are as follows:

50-yard dash, handicap—Oliver Fleming, Oliver Hasler, Charles Turner, Frank Mason, E. A. Smith, E. G. Siegmund, Harry Riener, Carl Drehman, Gwynne Evans, Gibson, P. A. Frank, A. W. Solomon, C. Cohn and A. Bechestobill.

35-yard hurdle—Floyd Newcomb, E. Siegmund, Harry Riener.

35-yard low hurdle—E. A. Smith, Frank Mason, E. Siegmund, Harry Riener, Floyd Newcomb.

880-yard run—Weber Minges, Charles Stevens, Cary Drehman, Eugene Christy, H. Heerfall, Frank Faudlerow, J. Bruen, M. Moehiman, H. Moehiman and H. Droste.

Mile run—Frank O'Grady, J. J. Gleason, J. J. O'Connel, D. Weir, B. Williams and Eugene Christy.

Shot-put—E. Schmidt, Carl Drehman, Hans Wulff, P. A. Frank, Eddie Lee, George Mattis, A. Bechestobill, Gus Baker, Arthur Birge, William Newman, M. Atheiger.

High jump—Emil Freymark, G. Mattis, Gwynne Evans, A. Burg, C. Hellman and P. A. Frank.

The relays will be selected from Fleming, Hellman, Smith, Minges, Drehman, Frank, Mason and Riener.

The officials will be: Referee, J. J. O'Connor; timers, Alec Meffert, Charles Stevens and Joe Foshaw; judges, Maru Schwarz, Jean C. Meyers and Dr. Hugo Toepman; field judges, Ben Feil, Dr. Dan Goodman; clerk, Eddie Lee; assistant, J. Arthur Corbitt; scorer, Wallace McLargo; starter, Tom Aitken, and William Jewell Trueman, announcer.

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Mack Secures Hughes.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 13.—Manager Mack of the American League champions has secured Pitcher Long Tom Hughes from the Washington club and is also reported to have signed Pitcher Baum of the Los Angeles club.

INDIAN FOOTBALL PLAYER TO WED

Charles Dillon, Carlisle Guard, Wins Beautiful Schoolmate.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CARLISLE, Pa., Jan. 13.—At a dinner party tendered the Carlisle Indian football players and their best girls by Supt. Mercer of the school, Miss Rose La Farge, a Blackfoot Indian maiden, last year's Carlisle graduate and now acting as an assistant matron here, announced her engagement to Charles Dillon, the famous Cheyenne guard on the Carlisle football eleven.

Rose La Farge is probably the most beautiful Indian girl who has ever attended the Carlisle school. She is 19 years old. Dillon is of the statuesque redskin type and is more than ordinarily intelligent. The pair will be the first to have an elaborate ceremonial wedding at the Carlisle school. They will be married at 7 p. m., Jan. 22, before the 1000 Indian students and invited guests. The wedding ceremony will be followed by a reception and dance in the school gymnasium. The couple will probably see President Roosevelt in Washington during their honeymoon.

LATHAM LIGHTS OUT FOR HOME

English Court Tennis and Racquet Champion Finishes Tour With a Victory.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Peter Latham of England, the world's champion court tennis and racquet expert, finished his American tour with a victory in an exhibit court tennis match with George Standing at the Racquet and Tennis Club yesterday. He conceded Standing odds of one-half 15 and won in straight sets, 8—5, 8—3. Latham sails for home today.

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FOOTBALL NOT COLLEGE SPORT

California Committee Says That Students Do Not Play for Pure Love of Game.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Cal., Jan. 13.—The faculty Athletic Committee yesterday made public their annual report to President David Starr Jordan on the condition of university athletics.

On the subject of football reform, the committee submit as their opinion the close formation in play should be abolished; that the modern game had deteriorated from a sport to a business; that the game is exclusive, since only men of heavy weight can participate, and that the game is no longer in any sense a college sport, since students do not organize volunteer teams to play for the love of the game, as they do baseball, tennis, etc.

Dealing with the game of baseball, the committee declares "that baseball is on a distinctively lower level than any other college sport, both as regards the spirit of amateurism and of courtesy and fairness of play."

In conclusion the faculty investigators commend tennis, track work and rowing to a more liberal participation by students as being helpful and manly sports.

KID TRENNEL MAY MEET H. M'GOVERN

St. Louis Boxer Will Probably Have Terry's Brother for His Next Antagonist.

Announcements received in St. Louis by friends of Kid Trennel, the St. Louis boy who has been in the East for the past month in Philadelphia, convey the intelligence that Trennel's next opponent will be Hughey McGovern and that the bout will probably take place some time during the coming week.

Hughey McGovern is a brother of Terry, and is considered a topnotcher among the Eastern fancy. He has met most of the bantamweights of the country and given good accounts of himself.

His records show a draw with Tommy Murphy and a six-round contest with Frankie Neil, in which no decision was rendered.

Trennel, since his advent in the East, has met and defeated Jack Egan, Mike Malone, Spotty Clifford and Jack Barry.

He is essentially a fighter and is the possessor of the best attribute of the modern day fighter—a knockout punch.

KRAMER VS. GUNDACKER IN SPECIAL MATCH.

Kramer and Gundacker, the respective winners of the three-cushion tournaments of the Royal and Hauser's will play a special match of four games next week for the three-cushion championship of the city.

The conditions of the match as agreed to by both contestants stipulate that the games shall be played on Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights and that the Hauser nd Royal billiard halls shall be used as the alternate places of meeting.

Both men have been practicing for the match since they won their respective trophies and the coming contest should result in the best three-cushion billiards seen in the city.

KID SULLIVAN BESTS AUSTIN RICE.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 13.—Austin Rice of New London was beaten by Kid Sullivan of Washington last night in 10 rounds before the Eureka Athletic Club. It was Sullivan's fight from start to finish and only Rice's cleverness saved him from being defeated in short time.

An Early Thoroughbred Colt.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Jan. 13.—The first thoroughbred foal of the season was reported today by Col. Milton Young, proprietor of the McGrathiana stud. It is a bay filly by imp. Pirate of Penzance and out of Diana by imp. Mr. Pickwick. The foal was dropped the first day of the year. Ornament, the mighty racehorse and sire, was also a January colt.

CORBETT FALLS BEFORE HERRERA

Mexican Had All the Best of the Go Which He Ended in the Fifth Round.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 13.—A right swing to the jaw in the fifth round ended Young Corbett's pugilistic career last night. Aurelio Herrera scored a clean knockout over him. The beginning of the end came in an early mixup in the third round, when Corbett rushed Herrera to the ropes and with rights and lefts to the body and head was caught napping by the Mexican, who recovered in remarkable style and staggered Corbett with a right lead for the jaw. Following this they clinched and Herrera landed right uppercuts in rapid succession. Corbett breaking out of a clinch in a groggy condition, Herrera sent him to his knees with a lead for the head. Corbett taking the count. As he rose and started another of his rushes he appeared to be wild and Herrera knocked him down with a right to the jaw. Corbett again took the count of nine, being pushed back into the ring by his seconds. Herrera rushed him and Corbett, with his hands hanging limp at his sides, offered no resistance to the landing of the final right to the jaw, which sent him down and out.

The battle was fierce from the tap of the gong to the end. Corbett frequently sent Herrera to the ropes with rights and lefts to the body and head, but Herrera always came back with rights to the head and uppercuts in the clinches on ropes.

Herrera showed to good advantage in the defensive work in the first three rounds, and in the fourth round began to fight like a fiend. In an exchanging for leads Herrera seldom received the worst of it. He sent Corbett's head back with terrific uppercuts. Corbett showed occasional flashes of his old-time form and the first three rounds were in his favor by a slight margin, but he seldom landed. He showed much weakness in hitting, always coming out of clinches with more the worst of the mixup. Herrera fought his usual dogged style, avoiding punishment and countering with rights to head and jaw, finally staggering Corbett with these leads. Until the fifth round Herrera fought solely on the defensive while Corbett indulged in rushes and right and left swings, many of his leads going wild.



Young Corbett's most recent successive defeat brings to our attention the adaptability of certain pugilists to beat certain others. Corbett was a mediocre fighter—in the class he now finds himself—before he managed to make a lucky match with McGovern. The Brooklynite was then rated a great fighter at his weight. He was really a hard-slugging, over-handed smasher who beat Plimmer, Dixon and others in what were pretty close to fake fights. Backed by the entire strength of a dominant political gang in New York, McGovern, like Sullivan in days of yore, had things all his own way. He was "protected" in all his fights. That is, matters were arranged, either with or without his knowledge, to render his victory certain.

So little did the New York "fixers" think of Corbett that they did not deem it worth while framing the fight for Terry. They felt that he would win in a hurry. It so happened that of all people in the world Corbett was best adapted to beat McGovern. Cool, nervy, daring, the possessor of one winning punch, he was just the man to reach the swinging, open-guarded, tender-jawed Terry. He did it twice.

Between and after times, he drew with very mediocre men. Indeed, his entire claim on fame rests on his defeats of McGovern, a wild, over-swinging fighter, to beat whom he was most peculiarly adapted.

As Sharkey, an eduring, fast-footed fellow, was adapted to beat McCoy—a great fighter—and as O'Brien, a sharp-knuckled, skin-cutting boxer, was calculated to defeat the thin-skinned, easily bled Fitzsimmons, so was the rough-going, enduring Herrera fitted by nature to beat Corbett.

Thus it is that many men who could have beaten Fitzsimmons could not beat Sharkey, whom Fitz found no trouble in defeating. By contrasting their peculiar strong points with the particular weak points of the other fellow, clever matchmakers can see where a good game can be secured and a victory achieved where less penetrating eyes see nothing but defeat.

Already the $20,000 derby colt and the insuppressible Two Johns—Gates and Drake—are making their appearance in the role of single heroes and heavy villains of the turf in the Blue Grass. Correspondent McClure has both the heavies bidding for a colt named Sir Huron.

Our old friend, the jockey, who uses his horse too much at the start and too little at the end of a race, is busy at New Orleans. We have no use for him anywhere, any time, no matter when, where or how he uses his horse.

SMITH AND O'CONNOR.

Mr. O'Connor as president of the Amateur Athletic Union, refused to permit Mr. Smith's Saturday League socker players to meet professionals for gate money. The refusal irked Mr. Smith, who delivers himself thus.

Say, pard,
Cried Sard,
'Tis rough
And tough
To throw us down like this.

Oh, John,
'Tis no con
I do put on,
Tell us our fate,
Early or late,
Do we get a date
To cop a piece of money?

Wh-a-at? No?
This blow
Will break
My heart.
For my part
I do not care
One single hair,
Yet though a need dough.

'Tis hard,
Old pard,
Saith Sard
To slough
'Tis thus.
But I guess
'Tis right
And in fair fight
Might, not right,
Shall most prevail.

Since Dr. Gardner has been winning races every newspaper bears the head "Schreiber Has a Big Day." He needs several big days. He is a big man with big expenses.

Warning to local billiard players: Beware and have a care of Kajiwara.

With all becoming modesty the Post-Dispatch can lay claim to having largely if not entirely originated and determined the present movement for the reconstruction of rugby football.

This paper was the first to point out that rugby football was not a true or healthy game because it did not appeal to the body of collegians to organize teams and play it offhand as they play baseball.

This point has had special stress laid upon it by the committee appointed to inquire into football at Stanford University.

It was in this column that it was first pointed out that the men who made the rules which ruined rugby should not be allowed to attempt to make rules to rehabilitate it.

President Elli Eliot of Harvard laid stress upon this point. The old rules committee, made up of these men, has been amalgamated with the new committee appointed by many universities.

Above and before all the Post-Dispatch argued that it was the spirit in which it was played, not the rules under which it operated, that really made football an unworthy game.

President Roosevelt emphasizes this point in his addresses on football.

Reference to the files of the Post-Dispatch and other newspapers will prove the entire verity of these assertions.

STEWART IN KIELY BUGGY

President of Police Board Hurries to Train.

President Stewart of the Board of Police Commissioners was driven to Union Station in Chief Kiely's buggy when he departed Friday night for Little Rock, Ark., to visit his son, Dr. J. W. Stewart.

Until a few minutes before time for the train to leave, President Stewart remained at Friday's session of the board. He said the journey was merely for pleasure, and that he did not know how long he would be gone.

LEWIS GETS DRAW WITH FITZGERALD

Welter-Weights Engage in Somewhat Dull and Tedious Contest.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—Willie Fitzgerald of Brooklyn and Willie Lewis of New York fought 25 rounds to a draw at Colma last night. Neither had a decided advantage, but Fitzgerald's aggressiveness, many at the ring believed, should have gained him the verdict.

The New Yorker appeared larger than his opponent, and, when they shaped up in the opening round, he looked like a winner. The great reputation which he earned in the East since his defeat at the hands of Rufe Turner in Oakland was not sustained by his showing last night. He was willing to hold on at times, and, in the final, was jeered for not fighting. Lewis appeared to be a legitimate welterweight, while Fitzgerald appeared several pounds lighter.

In the first 10 rounds, Fitzgerald had an easy lead, as the New York boy was very cautious and apparently afraid to take a chance. He did not extend himself until the eleventh, and, in that round, he found the Brooklyn lad full of fight. At the end of the round Lewis went to his corner apparently groggy.

Lewis showed wonderful recuperative powers in the twelfth, and did his best fighting in this round. He took a chance with the Brooklynite and floored him with a clean right to the jaw. Fitz was up in an instant. Lewis had the best of the fighting in this round, and it looked as if he had been holding back to get a line on his man.

He did some good work in the new period. His system was to spar at long range and shove his left in. He kept his right in reserve, as he appeared afraid to leave himself open to an attack. Lewis had a shade the better in the next rounds until the fifteenth, when Fitz had his man reeling from a series of hard rights and lefts to the head. Lewis evened matters up somewhat toward the end of the round, by giving an exhibition of real fighting, while in the clinches Fitz did some good work and he had his opponent's ribs looking crimson at the bell. From the fifteenth on, each round was nearly alike. Not at any time did either have the other at his mercy. Fitz forced matters in the last five rounds, but Lewis did not appear willing to mix it. The gallery called for the referee to break them, and, though Graney commanded them to stop holding, they did not seem to heed his commands. The final round was a hugging match, and Lewis appeared to be very tired. When the bell sounded for the end of the battle, Graney immediately decided it a draw.

Bob Lundy, who has been sparring with Nelson during the theatrical tour in the East, and Charley Dunn, the Iron Man, lightweights, were scheduled to go 10 rounds. Willie Britt made his debut as a referee and made good. He kept them fighting at all times, and but little clinching resulted. The end came in the eighth when Dunn had gone down several times and was all in, when Britt wisely declared Lundy a winner. Lundy showed much improvement and put up an excellent contest.

Softshell Crabs and Lobsters. Mayford's restaurant, 207 and 209 N. Sixth street.

BASKET BALL.

The Washington University five will meet the Concordia Seminary team Saturday afternoon at the W. U. gymnasium. The Concordias are esteemed as one of the fastest teams in the city and the game should be a rattling good one.

The Yeatman High girls are expected to defeat the Central High Alumni feminine representatives at Louisiana Hall Saturday afternoon.

An interclass basket ball tournament is now in progress at the Manual Training School. All the classes are represented in the race and the competition is expected to go far toward the basket ball game in the mechanical institution. A cup has been donated by Prof. Woodward of Washington University as a trophy to be awarded to the winner of the tournament. The first game played Thursday was won by the first year M. class team, defeating the first A. B. and C. class representatives by a score of 23 to 13. Games will be played every Tuesday and Thursday during the season.



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BOYS SOLD LOOT TO BUY CANDY

Youth Confesses to Systematically Taking Journals From Railroad Cars.

WENT TO THEATER, TOO

Police Seek Other Members of Gang Whose Names He Gives.

Chester Conant, 14 years old, living with his parents at 224 South Beaumont street, was arrested in the Terminal yards near Union Station Saturday by Charles M. Barber, special agent of the Terminal Association, and is said to have confessed to being a member of a gang of boy thieves who have been stripping railway cars and engines of brass journals for two months past.

Young Conant was taken to Four Courts and there, it is said, he broke down utterly and told Assistant Chief of Detectives Keeley all about the operations of the band to which he belonged.

The police claim that he says he first met the boys composing the gang on last Thanksgiving night, and that they started out merely to play Thanksgiving night pranks. In the course of their frolic, however, they crossed the railroad tracks and one of the boys took from a car a brass journal, which was sold the next day to a second-hand junk dealer.

Finding that they could get money easily in this way, the gang, consisting of six boys, was organized, and began the systematic looting of cars and engines. They have taken, young Conant is said to have confessed, between thirty and forty brass journals in all, selling them at prices ranging from $1 to $1.5 0apiece, and the money was spent for candy, theaters and other treats that appealed to their youthful imaginations.

The gang had no tools with which to lift cars on which the journals were already in place, but they ascertained that extra journals were carried in a little box in each car, and in the toolboxes of engines, and these they took.

Young Conant is said to have told the police that the gang got three journals Friday night from a Wabash engine and hid them near the shot tower, and that he was on his way to get them and sell them to a junk dealer when arrested. The police are looking for his confederates, whose names he is said to have given in his confession.

Union Installation Service.

Installation services which will make Rev. Columbus Polk Goodson pastor of King's Highway Cumberland Presbyterian Church will be conducted Sunday evening by pastors of both Presbyterian and Cumberland Presbyterian churches, soon to be united in one denomination. Rev. S. J. Niccolls of Second Presbyterian Church will charge the people and Rev. Dr. B. P. Fullerton of Lucas Avenue Cumberland Presbyterian Church will charge the pastor. Rev. Dr. W. H. Black, president of Missouri Valley College, will preach, and Rev. Taylor Bernard, formerly pastor of the church, will preside.

NEW YORK LIFE AT PEACE WITH STATE

Supt. Vandiver Withdraws Order Suspending Company's Certificate.

Peace between the Sttae of Missouri and the New York Life Insurance Co., which has been proclaimed in the notice sent by W. D. Vandiver, State Superintendent of Insurance, informing the company that, in accepting the resignations of President McCall and Vice-President Perkins, and in passing by-laws prohibiting officers of the company from voting proxies of policy holders, it has complied with his demands. His order of suspension of the company's certificate has been withdrawn, and it is expected that within a few days the injunction suit by which the company has delayed execution of the order of suspension will also be withdrawn.

In bringing about the resignation of President McCall and the assurance of the restoration of the Hamilton lobby fund, the State has accomplished, Mr. Vandiver says, an effective reform.

Before resigning, President McCall restored to the treasury of the company $85,000 in cash and also gave his notes with ample security for $150,000, thus covering the $250,000 Hamilton fund.

Fred W. Lehmann, who, with Judge Woods, acted as special counsel for the State, says the changes in the company's by-laws are the most important detail of the reform. Hereafter the president or his assistants will not be able to elect their own boards by voting the proxies of policy holders, and no money can be paid out by the officers without first being authorized and the accounts audited by the Finance Committee.

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BOY REPORTER FINDS MORAL IN STORY OF CHICAGO RUNAWAYS

Bitter Experiences of Two Youths Should Be a Lesson to Others.

BY SAM HURST,
A Post-Dispatch Office Boy.

The bitter experiences of William Brogen, aged 13, of 6838 Ashland avenue, Chicago, and Edward Krug, aged 11, of 5153 Ashland avenue, also of Chicago, should be a lesson to adventurous lads who say that running away is better than a good home.

I saw both boys in the detention room at Four Courts, and both are very anxious to know whether or not they will get back to their homes in Chicago.

William, wishing to stop school about two weeks ago, and not having a mother, consulted his father, who at first gave an emphatic "No!" William continued pleading, he says, and at last received his father's consent. The necessary papers, allowing him to go to work, were drawn up, when Edward, his pal, was threatened with a whipping from his father for something he says he didn't do.

William was not attending school at the time. They chummed together and met a friend who gave Edward 15 cents. Wiliam had 10 cents. They had supper at a restaurant together Thursday night and about 9 o'clock went to the Englewood Station, and a little later boarded a Wabash train bound for St. Louis. Not having sufficient money with which to pay their fare, they climbed under seats in the smoking car, unseen. Then, not fearing detection, they were soon sound asleep.

They arrived in St. Louis Friday morning, and not knowing where to go they tried to gain admittance to the car in which they came to St. Louis. Railroad Detective Fink warned the boys to leave the train yards, which they did.

Went Back to the Car.

When they thought he had left they went back to the car and were arrested by Mr. Fink. A policeman was called and he accompanied them to Four Courts.

William is a good looking lad and was in the seventh grade at the Herman Raster School when he quit. Edward is a head smaller. He lisps when he talks. He was in the fourth grade at the Libby School when he stopped.

"Do you want to go back to school if you go back to your home?" I asked.

"Yes," they said. "And we are going until we graduate to the High School."

William's father is an engineer, but where he works William would not tell. Edward refused to say anything about his parents.

"Do you know when we will go back?" asked William, fearfully.

"I think the police have telegraphed your parents and are waiting to know what to do with you," I replied.

Both of the boys say they had nothing to eat from Thursday night to Saturday morning.

When I finished talking with the boys the Matron called them to breakfast, the first meal since they ran away.



WM BROGREN



EDWARD KRUG.

SEVEN SHUT UP IN BURNING MINE

Heroic Attempts to Rescue Imprisoned Miners From the Tamarack.

CALUMET, Mich., Jan. 13.—Heroic efforts have failed to release the seven men imprisoned underground in the burning portion of the Tamarack mine. Several members of the rescuing parties sent in yesterday were overcome by gases and gotten out with difficulty.

A party of men went down through No. 5 shaft, Mining Captain Maslin being in charge. They reached the twenty-ninth level, but smoke and gas drove them back. Several were overcome and were carried from the shaft by companions. Another party attempted to penetrate the burning portion of the mine, but the gas given off by the burning timbers had increased in density and the rescuers were driven back.

Capt. Maslin and two companions were carried out by others of the party. Their condition was precarious and four physicians at the mine hospital saved them after desperate efforts.

An Austrian named Simonivitch, a brother of one of the men imprisoned underground, made a terrific struggle to penetrate the burning mine, wrapping clothes about his head, but the gases were too powerful and he was overcome and carried to the surface in a critical condition.

General Manager Haire of the Tamarack company last night authorized the statement that no shafts would be sealed until every possible effort had been made to determine the fate of the men in the burning shaft.

There is a powder magazine at the twenty-fourth level and many cases of dynamite are stored at various levels in the shaft, but the fire is several hundred feet away and there is no immediate danger of an explosion.

DIES TO SAVE WIFE.

Consumptive Feared She Would Contract Disease From Him.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BERKELEY, Cal., Jan. 13.—Col. W. S. Boyd, a young merchant, suffering from consumption, committed suicide today to prevent his wife contracting the disease from him.

LOOTED HOLIDAY MAIL.

Quartet Got Away With Santa Claus Packages.

LONDON, Jan. 12.—The police of this city are on the hunt for four daring thieves, who, during the holiday rush, made a specialty of stealing sacks of registered letters from various branches of the London Postoffice.

At the Oxford street branch they got away with a whole sack of registered mail, the value of which is estimated at several thousand pounds.

Burned Fighting Flames.

In an attempt to extinguish flames in his home, Charles Lillibeck of 225 South Jefferson avenue was burned on the hands. The fire is supposed to have been caused by an overheated stove, and did damage to the extent of $100.

Stenographers Can Stay.

The bill to be introduced in the House of Delegates restricting the employment of women in city offices will permit their employment as stenographers. This was made known by Delegate Ralph Coale, when he recommended to Health Commissioner Snodgrass the appointment of Miss Cora Fletcher as Sanitary Inspector. The appointment was made.

KATHERINE GRAY A GIRL OF MYSTERY

Servant Who Posed as Heiress and Vassar Graduate Disappears.

"DAUGHTER OF SENATOR"

Fails to Prove Extravagant Claims and Departs Abruptly.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 13.—Katherine Gray, the alleged Vassar girl graduate who has been working as a servant girl in this city for the past four months, and who claimed to have come into a fortune of from $300,000 to $500,000 in United States bonds, has disappeared. Supt. Thomas McQuaide of the Pittsburg detective force, is looking for the young woman and also for a man who is believed to have assisted her in carrying on her hoax.

The young woman engaged as a servant girl with E. C. Bausman, secretary of the Vesta Coal Co., four months ago. The Bausmans are old and childless. They soon discovered they had a treasure of a servant. Mrs. Bausman pronounced her the best in her 30 years of housekeeping. They also discovered that she was seemingly well educated.

Little by little she told her story. She said she was a daughter of the late Senator Asbury Gray of Norfolk, Va. He died 27 years ago, leaving her and a brother. They were taken by an uncle, Col. John Gray of Richmond, to raise. The boy died soon after. The uncle educated the girl at Hollidaysburg, Pa., female seminary, and Vassar College. An aged friend of the uncle's, a comrade in the Confederate Army, fell in love with her. She refused his offer of marriage. The uncle told her she must marry him or leave his roof. She left and for seven years was driven from pillar to post among other relatives. Four months ago she came to Pittsburg.

Notified of "Fortune."

Two weeks ago she received a letter telling her that her father's fortune of over $300,000 in United States bonds, which had disappeared when he died, had been found.

She imparted the knowledge to the Bausmans. They employed Marcus C. Acheson, one of the best attorneys in Pittsburg, to look after her interests. He did not like the looks of the case and was much relieved when the girl elected to turn it over to the Wilkinsburg Real Estate and Trust Co. Attorney W. G. Stewart was called in and the girl furnished him with money to go to Washington and meet her uncle at the Willard Hotel.

No Col. John Gray was found there, and Attorney Stewart called up Pittsburg on the long-distance telephone. The girl informed him she had just received a letter from her uncle, saying he was leaving for Pittsburg at once. Attorney Stewart came home. The uncle did not show up.

The Bausmans then demanded that the girl show proofs of her claims and she indignantly quit their service. This was a few days ago and she has not been seen since. The receipt of numerous letters and telegrams from Washington, Richmond and Norfolk, Va., concerning her "fortune" indicates the work of a confederate. Inquiry at Norfolk and Richmond discloses the fact that there never was a Senator Asbury Gray, and that no Col. John Gray is known in the former Confederate capital.

Miss Russac's Engagement.

The announced engagement of Miss Gertrude Russack, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Russack of 4350 McPherson avenue, and Sidney Hirsh of Pittsburg comes as a surprise to their friends in St. Louis and Pittsburg. Miss Russack has been one of the popular girls in Columbian Club circles since her debut, and the bridegroom is prominent in financial circles in Pittsburg. No date for the wedding has been decided on.

Made Newsboy Jump.

John Dudley, 37 years old, a conductor on the Broadway line, was arraigned in Dayton Street Police Court Saturday, charged with disturbing the peace of Morris Magisohn, a newsboy, aged 15 years. Magisohn says he entered a car to sell newspapers, but was compelled by the conductor to jump from the moving car and was thrown on the granite pavement at Washington avenue, injuring his hip.

KAISER'S TRIBUTE TO PROF. HARPER

Cables Condolences to Widow and Has Wreath Placed on Coffin.

DENY ROOSEVELT STORY

Trustees Says He Has Never Been Considered to Head University.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—Among the cablegrams paying tributes of respect to William R. Harper, late Chicago University president, was the following from Emperor William of Germany to Dr. Walter E. Wever, German Consul in Chicago:

"His Majesty has commanded that your honor call personally upon the widow of President Harper, expressing to her his imperial sympathy and condolence, and deposit a wreath in his name on the coffin."

The wreath laid on the coffin, as requested by the Emperor, is of lilies of the valley and orchids and is four feet in diameter. The design is tied with white ribbon, which bears the words in black letters, "Deutscher Kaiser Wilhelm II."

Baron von Sternburg, the German Ambassador at Washington, had previously telegraphed his condolences and also ordered a wreath to be sent to the residence.

A memorial chapel to cost $500,000, to be erected by subscription and designed as a last resting place for the body of Prof. Harper, is finding favor among the trustees of the University of Chicago.

Roosevelt Not Considered.

Trustee Rust said today that President Roosevelt had never been considered for head of the Chicago University. "The constitution of the university demands that the president shall be a Baptist," said he. "This rule could not be changed, for much of the money contributed to the upbuilding of the institution was given on sectarian grounds."

Dean Vincent and Trustee Shepardson declared that there was no chance for President Roosevelt to be considered. They pointed out that he would hardly be the choice of John D. Rockefeller. President William H. Faunce of Brown University is held by many in university circles to be the favorite for the position. Next to Dr. Harper, President Faunce has secured more money from Mr. Rockefeller than any other educator. He has a reputation as an organizer, is in sympathy with Dr. Harper's schemes for a "world university" and is still a young man, being only 48.

Pilot Sues A. B. Hart.

Suit for $850 for alleged breach of contract has been filed in Circuit Court by Anthony Burbach, a pilot, against Augustus B. Hart of 19 Portland place. Plaintiff alleges that Hart employed him to act as pilot on Hart's pleasure boat, "Scimitar II," July 17 last under a contract for one year at a salary of $100 a month. Burbach avers in his petition that he was discharged by Hart Nov. 3 without just cause and asks for judgment for his salary to July 16 next and costs.

Escaped From Hospital.

Frank Jaresik, a tailor of 1920 South Twelfth street, who left Alexian Brothers' Hospital, where he was being treated for nervous trouble, is in the observation ward at City Hospital. He was found in Tower Grove Park and said he was there for the purpose of committing suicide.

Democratic Club Election.

The newly elected officers of the South Broadway Democratic Club are: President, George Ehret; vice-president, George Ahrens; secretary, A. G. Backer; treasurer, Claude Rockwell; sergeant-at-arms, Herman Hess.

Citizens' Republican Club.

The newly elected officers of the Citizens' Republican Club are: President, Otto Stifel; vice-presidents, Samuel B. Stannard, Louis Schaeperhoetter, William Dwyer; treasurer, Charles Riechers; secretary, O. E. Layton.

Hatpin for Policeman.

Mrs. Mamie Steiner, aged 49, of 3442 Sidney street, while being taken to the observation ward at City Hospital, attempted to stab Policeman Walker of Magnolia Avenue Station with a hat pin. She became violent at the hospital and guards overpowered her with difficulty.

DAILY RECORD OF MARKETS

HEAVY REALIZING MARKS THE CLOSING

Bank Statement Is Excellent, but Fails to Check the Selling.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—The market continued its upward course at the opening today, sharp gains being general throughout the list. Trading was very active and the tone confident.

Speculative sentiment is still swinging strongly to the bull side, and commission houses report a large increase in outside business. Some of the best houses that have been advising conservatism for some time past were yesterday the heaviest buyers, and the traders who sold stocks thinking to get them back cheaper, took them back at a higher level.

London reflected a strong demand for Americans abroad, and foreigners may be looked on as more liberal buyers in the near future.

The Week's Review.

The week has been an eminently satisfactory one to the bulls and prices have been carried to a substantially higher price level. The speculation has broadened to an appreciable extent and the outside public have shown more decided indications of becoming a factor than in many months past. News generally has been of a favorable character and has been used to very good advantage by the bull element in control of prices at the present time. The reports of the leading mercantile agencies show no signs of irregularity in the general business world and in the steel and iron industry the demand has been such as to cause a further advance in prices of many of the leading products. The copper metal market shows no signs of weakening and orders for future delivery would find a ready market at prices above 19 cents. This price was refused during the week. Railway earnings show liberal increases over those for the same period one year ago, the gain for December being 8.2 per cent in the gross. Net earnings likewise show up favorably and a very heavy traffic movement is noted in all sections of the country. Bank clearings for the week show a very liberal gain.

The Bank Statement.

The bank statement, showing an increase in surplus reserves of $12,237,650, an increase in loans of only $383,300 and a gain in cash of $15,603,500, was considered very favorable and balanced well with the known movements of currency for the week. The publication of the statement was met by heavy realizing in the stock market, as many traders with profits over the week were not desirous of carrying their holdings over Sunday. The absorbing powers of the market, however, were noticeably broad, considering the recent enormous advance and the decline did not extend beyond small fractions. The money situation is now materially improved by the bank statement of today and rates should be extremely easy for some weeks to come. A firm rate is looked forward to after March. Sentiment on the street was decidedly bullish after the closing of the market today and unless some unfavorable developments occur over Sunday to cause a radical change a very active and strong market is looked forward to next week.

New York Stock Quotations.

Reported daily for the Post-Dispatch by D. R. Francis, Bro. & Co., 214 N. Fourth street.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.

STOCKS.	Sales.	Open	High	Low	Close
Am. Tob. pfd..	400	105⅛	.....	.....	105⅛
Am. Car & Fdy.	8,200	43	43¾	43¼	43⅛
do preferred ..	700	100½	101	100½	100⅞
Am. S. Fdy. com	1,700	14⅜	14⅜	14⅛	14⅜
do preferred ..	1,600	50⅜	51	50⅜	50¾
Anaconda Copper	30,800	267	268	264	265¾
Am. Loco. com.	5,700	77⅛	77½	76¼	76⅞
do preferred ..		119½	119¾	119½	119¾
Am. Smelter ..	1,900	166	166	164¼	164¼
do preferred ..		128⅜	128⅜	128⅜	128⅜
Am. Sugar ..	7,200	150⅜	151	150	150⅜
A. C. P. ..	125,200	115	115⅛	114¼	114⅞
C. F. I. ..	15,700	61⅛	61⅜	60⅜	60⅞
Con. Gas ..	1,000	174⅛	174⅛	170⅛	171
Central Leather..	7,400	49	49	48⅜	48⅞
Gen. Electric ..	1,100	179	179¼	179	179⅛
Natl. Lead com.	11,500	85½	85½	85	85⅛
Natl. Biscuit ..	600	67⅞	68¾	67⅞	68⅛
N. Y. Air Brake..		163⅜	163⅜	161	162
North American .	3,800	106	106⅛	105	105¼
Sloss Sheffield .	75,700	95	95½	93	93
Pacific Mail ..	700	49⅞	49⅞	49¼	49¼
People's Gas ..	2,400	101⅛	101⅛	100	100½
Pressed Steel ..	2,700	57	57	56⅜	57
Rep. I. & Steel.	5,300	38	38	37	37¼
do preferred ..	2,600	109	109	107⅛	107⅛
T. C. I. ..	1,300	160	161	160	160
U. S. Rubber ..	1,700	54½	54½	54	54½
U. S. Steel ..	45,100	44⅞	44⅞	44½	44½
do 5s ..		97⅞	98	97⅞	98
do pfd ..	32,300	108	108⅜	108	108¼
Va. Car ..	1,500	54⅛	54⅛	53½	54
Atch. com ..	31,500	96⅞	96⅞	96⅜	96½
do pfd ..	300	104⅛	104⅛	104	104
B. & O. ..	8,600	115⅛	115⅜	114½	115⅛
B. R. T. ..	29,000	89	91⅛	88⅞	91½
Can. Pac. ..	4,500	175⅜	176	175¼	175½
C. & O. ..	6,900	57⅜	57⅞	57	57
C. & A. com. ..	900	35⅜	37⅛	35⅜	37⅛
do pfd ..	300	80	80⅛	80	80¼
C. & N. W. ..		229	235⅜	229	234½
C. & G. W. ..	5,200	22⅛	22⅛	22	22
C. M. & St. P.	17,800	185⅛	185⅛	183⅜	183⅜
C.C.C. & St. L.	2,000	107	108⅛	107⅜	108
D. & H. ..		56	.....	.....	58
D. & R. G. ..	17,500	46	47⅜	45½	45½
do pfd ..	13,400	90¼	90⅜	89⅞	89⅞
Erie com ..	16,600	50⅜	50⅜	49⅜	49⅜
do 2d ..	300	75	75	74⅜	74⅜
do 1st ..	500	81⅞	81⅞	81½	81⅛
Ill. Cent. ..	3,000	180	180⅛	177½	177
Iowa Cent. ..	4,400	34	34⅜	34	34⅜
K. C. S. com ..	2,700	33⅜	33⅜	33	33⅜
do preferred ..		65⅞	65⅞	63½	64
L. & N. ..	18,200	154½	154⅜	153½	153½
Manhattan ..	300	161	161	160⅜	161
Metropolitan ..	6,800	124	125⅜	124	125⅜
Met. seconds ..	3,400	73⅛	74⅜	73	74⅞
Mex. Central ..	2,700	25⅜	25⅜	25¼	25¼
M. St. P. S. M.	1,100	161⅜	160	160	160
M. K. & T. ..	12,400	39⅜	39⅜	39⅛	39⅜
do preferred ..	7,000	71⅝	71⅜	71¼	71¼
Missouri Pacific.	55,900	103⅛	104⅞	103⅜	104⅛
N. Y. C. com. ..	20,500	155	155½	154½	154½
Nor. Pacific ..	9,400	210	211	208⅜	208½
N. Y. O. & W. ..	1,900	53⅜	54	53½	54
N. & W. ..	6,800	88⅛	88⅛	88	88⅛
Penna. ..	50,000	145⅛	145⅜	145	145
Reading com ..	35,800	144½	144⅞	144	144
Rock Island ..	2,800	24	24⅛	24	24¼
do 4s ..		79½	.....	.....	79½
do preferred ..	900	62½	62¾	62½	62½
St. L. & S. F. 2d	500	48⅜	.....	.....	48⅜
St. L. & S. W. ..	6,700	23¼	24	23¼	23⅞
do pfd ..	4,700	59	60⅛	58⅛	59⅛
Southern Pacific.	17,300	69⅜	69⅜	68⅜	69
Southern Railway	20,700	38⅛	38⅜	38⅛	38⅛
Texas Pacific ..	5,600	35⅜	36	35¼	35¾
Toledo com ..	400	36⅜	36⅜	36½	36½
do pfd. ..	800	58	58¾	58	58¾
Union Pac. com.	101,800	158	158⅜	157⅛	157¼
Wabash com ..	1,500	22½	22⅜	22	22
do pfd. ..	2,300	42¾	43	42½	42½
do deb. Bs ..	.....	75½	75½	75	75
W. & L. E. com.	.....	19½	19½	19	19⅜
do 2d ..	.....	27½	27½	27¼	27¼
Wis. Cen. com ..	.....	31	.....	.....	31
do pfd. ..	100	61¼	.....	.....	61¼
Great Nor. pfd..	8,100	321	321½	317	318¾

Total sales, 1,019,900 shares.

WHEAT AT CLOSE IS UNCHANGED

Trade Is Light and There Is Very Little Pressure to Sell.

OTHER GRAINS QUIET

Dullness in Wheat Is Reflected in Both Corn and Oats.

Wheat was very quiet today and although firm, closed practically unchanged from yesterday. Market sentiment is gradually shaping itself for an advance, but until some factor developes to start the ball rolling a scalping market is looked forward to.

News generally was unimportant, but bullish. Private cables reported a continuation of rains in the Argentine and expressed fears of material damage therefrom. Foreign markets, however, failed to bear out these reports.

Liverpool after a quiet session closed ⅛d up on wheat and ⅜d lower on corn. Budapest closed unchanged and Berlin wheat ⅝c up. Adverse Indian reports were without effect.

Reports in the Northwest were about as estimated and Duluth and Minneapolis reported 412 cars against 484 cars last week and 384 cars last year. Winnipeg receipts were moderate.

Australian wheat shipments for the week were 672,000 bu, against 576,000 bu last week and 776,000 bu last year.

Broomhall estimates the world's shipments of wheat for Monday will be about 8,000,000 bu, of which the continent will take about 7,200,000 bu.

Corn showed less pressure than yesterday and closed firm. The cash demand continues good. Oats were steady in sympathy and on light offerings.

Primary movement—Receipts: Wheat, 561,839 bu, against 524,589 bu last year; corn, 612,780 bu, against 426,380 bu last year; oats, 471,030 bu, against 249,663 bu last year. Shipments—Wheat, 169,632 bu, against 213,000 bu last year; corn, 669,155 bu, against 252,000 bu last year; oats, 667,170 bu, against 401,000 bu last year.

St. Louis receipts and shipments—Wheat—Receipts, 37,050 bu local and 950 bu through; shipments, 31,950 bu. Corn—Receipts, 48,000 bu local and 42,000 bu through; shipments, 2650 sacks and 30,650 bu. Oats—Receipts, 48,600 bu local and 10,800 bu through; shipments, 650 sacks and 48,910 bu.

FLOUR—Receipts, 5870 bbls; shipments, 6760 bbls. Quote new soft winter flour, patents, $4.30@4.50; straights, $4.15@4.25; extra fancy, $3.90@4; foregoing in wood. In jute (Nebraska and Iowa), 15@25c lower per bbl than Kansas; Kansas hard winter, patents, $3.90@4; straight, $3.75@3.85; first-clearing, $2.90@3.25; second-clearing, $2.50@2.70.

HAY—Receipts, 440 tons local and 180 tons through; shipments, 355 tons. Quote hay, timothy, choice, $14@14.50; No. 1 timothy, $12.50 @13.50; No. 2, $8@10. Prairie hay, No. 1, $10 @11; No. 2, $9@9.50; choice clover, $12@12.50; No. 1 clover, $10@11.50; No. 2 clover, $8@9.50; No. 1 clover mixed, $11@12; No. 2 clover mixed, $9@10.

Money and Exchange.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Close: Prime mercantile, 5@5½; sterling exchange firm with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.8650@4.8660 for demand and 4.8325@4.8335 for 60-day bills; posted rates 4.83½@4.84 and 4.87@4.87½; commercial bills 04.82½@4.83. Bar silver, 65⅝; Mexican dollars, 50¼. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds firm. Money on call nominal; time money easier; 60 and 90 days, 5½ per cent; six months 5@5¼ per cent.

REED BROKERAGE CO.

"When do I expect a break in the stock market?"

"I decline to answer."

There isn't cause yet for a recession of consequence, and I wouldn't be surprised to see higher prices all along the line next week.

The only bad feature about it is that bullish conditions are a little too obvious. That's the usual time for a long-looked for setback. Still I would be willing to take a chance, if chance it may be called, at buying a little Atchison, C. F. I., St. Paul, Union Pacific or Steel preferred. We had a fair reaction in a number of active issues and with the excellent bank statement as an incentive, barring the Moroccan question, I believe public buying on accumulated orders over Sunday will start the pot to boiling right from the tap of the bell Monday morning. If you are nervous about stocks, take on a little wheat or cotton. They ought to get busier next week.

206 Century Bldg. ELLISON.

FUTURE PRICES.

ST. LOUIS.

	Close Yest'day	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Close Today.
Wh't-Jan.	83¾b	....	....	83½b
May	86⅝@¾	....	....	86¾a
July	82½b	....	....	82½b
Corn-Jan.	41¾b	....	....	41¾b
May	43¼b	....	....	43½a
July	43⅝@¾	....	....	43⅞n
Oats-May	31¾a	....	....	31¾

NEW YORK

Wh't-May	92½a	92¾	92½@⅝	92⅝a
July	89⅞b	90⅛	90	90⅛a
Corn-Jan.	53¾b	54 a	54 a	54 a
May	51 b	51⅛	51	51⅛a
July	51¼n	54⅛n	54⅛n	54⅛a

MINNEAPOLIS.

Wh't-May	86⅛	86¼@⅜	85⅞@86	86 @⅛
July	87⅝a	87½	87¼@⅜	87⅜

CHICAGO GRAIN.

Wh't-Jan.	84½n	84⅜n	84⅞n	84⅜n
May	88¼b	88⅝	88⅛	88⅜@½b
July	84⅞-85 a	85⅛	84⅞	85⅛b
Corn-Jan.	41⅝b	45⅜@½	45	45⅜@½a
May	45⅛b	45⅞	45⅜@½	45⅜a
Sept.	45½	45⅞b	45⅝	45⅞b
Oats-Jan.	30¾a	32⅛	31⅞	32 @⅛a
May	32⅛b	30½	30⅜	30½a

CHICAGO PROVISIONS.

Pork-Jan.	$13.72 b	$13.80	$13.70	$13.75 n
May	14.07	14.20	14.12	14.12
July	14.20	14.22 n	14.22 n	14.22 n
Lard-Jan.	7.45 b	7.50	7.45-47	7.50 n
May	7.65 b	7.72	7.62	7.67-70
July	7.75-77 b	7.82	7.75	7.82 a
Sept.	7.90	7.95	7.92	7.95 n
Ribs-Jan.	7.47 n	7.52	7.50-52	7.47-50
May	7.60 b	7.65-67	7.57	7.62-65
July	7.70-72	7.75-77	7.70	7.75

KANSAS CITY.

Wh't-May	80⅜b	80⅝	80¼@⅜	80⅜@¼
July	77⅜b	77½a	77½a	77½a
Corn-May .	40½a	40⅝@¾	40⅝	40⅝@¾
July	40⅝a	40⅞	40½	40¾@⅞

TOLEDO.

Wh't-Cash	88½	88¾	88¾	88¾
May	91⅛	91⅜	91⅛	91⅜
July	86⅝	86½	86½	86½

ST. LOUIS CASH MARKET.

WHEAT.

	Today.	Yesterday.	Year ago.
No. 2 red ...	95	94 @94¾	$1.17@18
No. 3 red ...	90 @93½	91½@91¾	1.10@15
No. 4	83 @89	83 @89	1.02-@12½
No. 2 hard ..	84 @86½	83½@87	1.13@13½
No. 3 hard ..	81 @82½	81½@83	1.08@10
No. 4 hard ..	75 @80	76 @81	90@$1.05

CORN.

	Today.	Yesterday.	Year ago.
No. 2	43¼@43½	43 @43½	44
No. 3	43	42¾@43	43 @44
No. 2 yellow.	43½	43½	44½
No. 3 yellow.	43	43	44
No. 2 white..	44¼@44½	44 @44½	45
No. 3 white..	43½	43½	44 @44½

OATS.

	Today.	Yesterday.	Year ago.
No. 2	32½	32½	31
No. 3	32	32	31
No. 2 white..	33½@34	33½	32½
No. 3 white..	32½@33	32½@33	31½@32
No. 4 white..	32 @32½	32 @32½	31 @31½

Grain in St. Louis Elevators.

	Today.	Yesterday	Year ago
Wheat	2,365,273	2,336,301	3,111,272
Corn	183,837	256,489	164,712
Oats	815,694	831,228	973,700
No. 2 red wheat..	496,045	500,368	913,492
No. 2 hard wheat.	820,679	814,381	52,10[illegible]
No. 2 mixed corn.	150,257	128,276	102,[illegible]
No. 2 white corn.	5,028	9,227	13,890

Bank Statement.

The statement of banks for the week shows that the banks hold $12,808,650 over the legal reserve requirements. It is an increase of $12,237,650 over last week. Statement follows: Loans $1,005,041,600, increase $383,300; deposits $997,206,200, increase $12,463,400; circulation 52,990,800, increase 77,900; legal tenders $83,780,700, increase 4,610,000; species $178,329,500, increase $10,993,500; reserves [illegible] increase $11,[illegible] required $249,801,550, increase $3,365,850; surplus $12,808,650, increase $12,237,650; ex-United States deposits $14,927,750, increase $12,251,000.

GOEBEL AND CLAY

CINCINNATI, O., Jan. 13.—Statues of William Goebel and Henry Clay are proposed for Kentucky's representation in the Hall of Fame at the capital in Washington, in a bill introduced in the Kentucky Legislature yesterday by Representative Alverson of Lincoln County.

An appropriation of $10,000 is provided and the Governor is authorized to name five commissioners to select and place the statues.

COTTON.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Liverpool opened firmer than expected; spots easy, 2 down; sales small. The market opened firm on the better Liverpool prices. The weekly statistical figures were bearish, however, and this took the edge off the buying. The dry goods trade is reported good for the new season. The commission houses had some good buying orders and shorts covered moderately. Sentiment seemed improved. News from the South conflicted. Some telegrams reported bearish spot outlook, others quoted planters as determined to hold for 15 cents. The market ruled firm and advanced about 10 to 15 points during the day. Some of this was lost in late trading, but the market closed firm, 9 to 12 points higher than yesterday.

NEW YORK COTTON CLOSE.

	Close.	High.	Low.
January	11.32@34	11.3[illegible]	11.25
March	11.51@52	11.55	11.45
May	11.60@61	11.65	11.54
July	11.65@66	11.69	11.59

Liverpool futures closed quiet. Jan. and Feb., 5.95d; Feb. and March, 5.97d; March and April, 6.00d; April and May, 6.03d; May and June, 6.05d; June and July, 6.07d; July and Aug., 6.08d; Aug. and Sept., 6.00d; Sept. and Oct., 5.76d; Oct. and Nov., 5.69d. The market closed 1 lower to 2 higher on near and distant months from yesterday's close.

WEEKLY COTTON STATISTICS.

	This week. Bales.	Last year. Bales.
Visible supply	5,431,988	4,662,660
American	4,103,488	3,840,660
Crop in sight	7,258,552	8,327,093
During week	214,732	240,986
Port receipts	160,116	181,154
Exports	201,391	194,913
Interior stocks	723,749	746,039
Shipments	119,643	120,691
Receipts	101,541	103,625
Consolidated stocks	1,014,531	941,213

STAGE OF THE RIVER.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CAIRO, Ill., Jan. 13.—Stage of river, 30.20 feet, fall of .92 of a foot during the past 24 hours. Towboat Wash Honshell arrived at 10:30 a. m. from the lower Mississippi with two barges logs for Singer Manufacturing Co. and departed at 6:30 p. m. for lower Mississippi. Steamer Dick Fowler arrived at 12:30 p. m. from Paducah and returned at 3 p. m. Towboat John S. Summers arrived at 1:15 p. m. fom the lower Mississippi and passed to Mound City with one barge of logs. Towboat Katherine of the 4th inst. departed at 1:30 p. m. with one empty barge for the lower Mississippi. Steamer India Givens of the 7th inst. departed at 2 p. m., light, for the upper Mississippi. Towboat John S. Summer arrived light from Mound City at 3:30 p. m. Towboat Hermann Paepcke of 8th inst. departed at 6:30 a. m. for lower Mississippi with two empty barges. Towboat W. W. O'Neil arrived at 7 a. m. for New Orleans and passed on to Louisville. Towboat T. H. Davis arrived at 9:30 a. m. from Joppa with three empty barges and dropped them at combine fleet. Steamer Peters Lee due from Cincinnati at noon and will depart for Memphis at 6 p. m.

PADUCAH, Ky., Jan. 13.—Gauge today is 29.4 feet and falling. Weather cloudy and warmer. The Dick Fowler left for Cairo. The John S. Hopkins arrived from Evansville. The Royal arrived from Golconda. The Kentucky leaves today for Tennessee River.

LOCAL STOCKS SLIGHTLY LOWER

Selling Is Better Than the Buying at Today's Session.

STATE NATIONAL IS UP

The Other Trust and Bank Issues Show Sharp Declines.

Local stocks were all lower today on more liberal offerings. The trading was active and the selling better than the buying.

United Railways preferred sold ¼ point lower at $87 and the common stock lost over a point from the last sale price at $43.50. The bonds of the company were easy at $88.25.

The bank and trust issues all felt the selling pressure, Commonwealth Trust selling at $338 to $339.50, National Bank of Commerce at $342 and Mississippi Valley Trust one point lower at $378. State National Bank was the one exception to the rule and gained ½ point at $205.

St. Joe Lead at $23, American Credit Indemnity at a higher level at $180 and Simmons Hardware common at $125 were the active miscellaneous issues.

FULL SESSION CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Asked.
United Railways pfd......	$ 86 75	$ 87 00
do common	43 00	43 50
do 4s	88 12½	88 25
Brown Bros. Subs	1 00	1 12½
Fourth National Bank	....	224 00
Franklin Bank	265 50	....
Nat. Bank of Commerce..	342 00	348 00
State National Bank	205 00	....
Third National Bank	322 00	325 00
Missouri-Lincoln Trust ...	139 50	140 50
Mercantile Trust	....	393 00
Mississippi Valley Trust ..	378 00	....
St. Louis-Union Trust	393 50	397 00
Commonwealth Trust	339 00	340 00
Title Guaranty Trust	....	70 00
National Candy common..	8 25	8 50
do 1st preferred	97 75	98 00
do 2d preferred	....	76 00
Cent. Coal and Coke com.	60 50	61 50
do preferred	....	80 00
American Central Ins.....	275 00	280 00
Simmons Hdw. Co. com...	125 00	128 00
do 2d preferred	125 000	130 00
Missouri-Edison 5s	102 75	103 25
Cass Av. & F. G. 5s......	103 00	....
Compton Heights 6s......	112 00	112 25
Taylor Avenues 6s	111 25	....
St. Louis & Suburban 5s..	104 50	....
Union Dairy	143 00	152 50
Mo. Electric Light 6s......	....	116 00
Brewing Association 6s....	101 00	....
Granite-Bimetallic	15	....
St. Joseph Lead	23 00	....
Kansas City Telephone 5s..	94 00	94 75
do L. D.	93 00	94 87½
Kansas City Telephone...	72 00	79 00
Alton Granite 5s	....	99 25
Hargadine-McKittrick ..	....	110 50
Chicago Equipment	8 80	8 92½
Credit Indemnity	179 00	182 50
St. Louis Transfer	64 00	80 00
Acme Cement	90 00	100 00
Standard Adding	137 50	....

SALES.

United Railways preferred, 107 at $87 and 1 at $86.75.
United Railways common, 75 at $43.50 and 1 at $42.50.
United Railways 4s, $7000 at $88.25.
St. Joe Lead, 300 at $23.
American Central Insurance, 25 at $274.
State National Bank, 30 at $205.
Commonwealth Trust, 5 at $338, 10 at $339 and 20 at $339.50.
Mississippi Valley Trust, 20 at $378.
American Credit Indemnity, 10 at $180.
Simmons Hardware common, 25 at $125.
Chicago Equipment, 100 at $8.90.
National Candy first preferred, 20 at $98.
Kansas City Telephone 5s, $2000 at $94.62½.
Compton Heights 6s, $1000 at $111.87½.
National Bank of Commerce, 10 at $342.

Local Money.

Messrs. George H. Burr & Co., commercial paper brokers, 31 Third National Bank Building, report local money:

Indorsed bills receivable, 4 or 6 months, 5½ per cent; high-grade, single-name paper, 4 to 6 months, 5½ per cent; other names, not so well known, 5½ to 6 per cent. Call money on good security, 5½ per cent. Financial institutions report rates about steady with last week.

U. S. Government Bonds.

Quoted daily by Farson, Leach & Co., 303 Commonwealth Trust Building.

	Bid.	Asked.
2s, 1930, registered	$102 87½	$103 37½
2s, 1930, coupon	102 87½	103 37½
3s, 1908, registered	102 25	103 25
3s, 1908, coupon	103 00	104 00
4s, 1907, registered	103 00	103 75
4s, 1907, coupon	103 00	104 00
4s, 1925, registered	130 25	131 25
District of Columbia 3.65s.	118 00	....
Philippine Government 4s..	109 50	110 75

Domestic Exchange.

Reported daily by A. G. Edwards & Sons.

	Bid.	Asked.
New York	20c premium	30c premium
Chicago	Par	15c premium
New Orleans	10c dicount	Par
Louisville	10c discount	Par
Cincinnati	10c discount	Par

Coffee Market.

Reported for the Post-Dispatch by Francis, Bro. & Co.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 13.

	Opening.	High.	Low.	Close.
Jan.	6.70@80	....	....	6.70@75
March	6.80@85	6.85	6.85	6.80@85
May	7.00@05	7.00	7.00	7.00@05
July	7.15	7.15	7.15	7.10@15

Livestock by Telegraph.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 13.—Cattle—Receipts 3000. Market steady; native steers, $4@6; southern steers, $3@4.65; southern cows, $2@3.50; native cows and heifers, $2@5; stockers and feeders, $3@4.50; bulls, $2.25@3.80; calves, $3@7; western fed steers, $3.50@5.50; western fed cows, $2.50@3.75. Hogs—Receipts 5000. Market steady; bulk of sales, $5.20@5.35; heavy, $5.30@5.37½; packers, $5.25@5.35; pigs and light, $5@5.30. Sheep—Receipts 200. Market steady; muttons, $4.50@6.10; lambs, $5.50@7.50; range wethers, $5.50@6.50; fed ewes, $4.75@5.60.

LIVESTOCK MARKET.

CATTLE—Receipts, 500; the light supply was common and medium grades, except one load of fair Texas steers, which brought $3.80. Market nominally steady.

SALES.

No.		Av.	Price.
7	native heifers	710	$2 75
4	native heifers	757	2 75
8	native cows	935	2 85
3	native cows	983	2 75
10	native cows	817	2 35
4	native cows	632	2 25
3	native cows	756	2 10
1	native bull	1090	3 00
1	native bull	2020	2 50
9	native veal calves	124	6 50
2	native veal calves	135	5 00
3	native veal calves	220	3 50
4	native veal calves	395	2 85
2	native veal calves	390	2 50
6	native stock steers	651	3 00
18	native stock steers	570	2 65
2	native stock steers	420	2 25
20	Texas steers	917	3 80
10	Texas steers	872	3 65
2	Texas steers	8[illegible]	3 [illegible]
13	Texas bulls	970	2 75
7	Arkansas steers	671	2 65
2	Arkansas heifers	510	2 15
16	Arkansas cows	743	2 35
3	Arkansas bulls	873	2 25

HOGS—Receipts 3500. A good run for Saturday. Quality average pretty fair, but the market was 5@10c lower.

SALES.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
71	255	$5 42½	83	242	$5 42½
83	221	5 40	69	227	5 40
71	234	5 37½	80	209	5 37½
84	210	5 35	92	182	5 35
83	180	5 32½	62	204	5 32½
88	189	5 30	85	217	5 30
26	198	5 27½	71	184	5 27½
49	183	5 25	71	170	5 25
87	176	5 22½	37	181	5 22½
54	184	5 15	114	106	5 15
41	172	5 10	61	190	5 [illegible]
74	193	5 00	62	198	5 00

SHEEP—None on sale.

BUTTER, EGGS AND POULTRY.

BUTTER—Steady; creamery, extra, 28@28½c; firsts, 24@25c; seconds, 21@22c; dairy packed, fancy, 20@21c; poor to fair, 18@19c; ladles, firsts, 16@18c; seconds, 16@17c; process, 20@21c; country packed, 15c; grease 4@5c.

POULTRY—Fowls, 9½c; spring chickens, 11½c lb; turkeys, good dressing, 14c; ducks, 11c lb. Dressed poultry: Turkeys, 15½c; chickens, fowls, 10c; spring chickens, 12c; ducks, 12c; capons, 16@18c.

VEALS—6c lb, for light, 5½c for heavy; heretics, thin and small, 3@4c.

ONIONS—White, 57@70c for choice per bu; red, 57@71c; firm; Spanish at $1.40 per crate.

POTATOES—Market dull, prices steady; Northern, 64@65c; Colorado rurals, 80@82c; white, 60@62c.

SWEET POTATOES—Home-grown, Bermuda at 45@50c; Nansemond red at 75c; yellow and Queen at 65@70c per bu box.

TOMATOES—Florida, 6-basket crates, at $3@3.50 for fancy.

FRUIT—APPLES—Fancy colored stock at $3@4 per bbl; more plentiful; Ben Davis, $2.75@3; Eastern Baldwin, greening and russets, $3.50@3.90 for choice. GRAPES—Malaga, $6@6.50 bbl. ORANGES—Florida brights and russets at $2.50@2.75 per box. California navels, $1.75@2.25; seedlings at $1.75@2 per box.

STRAWBERRIES—Florida sold at 35c qt.

VEGETABLES—Whole, average lots, not selections. CARROTS—Home-grown, 40@60c bu. CABBAGE—New York Danish, $23@24 ton; red, 1¼c per lb. LETTUCE—Florida, well headed, at $2.50 per hamper; New Orleans choice stock at $4@4.50 bbl; home-grown at 50@75c per bu loose. BEETS—40c per bu. STRING BEANS—Florida, $2.50 per bu box. TURNIPS—Home-grown, unwashed, at 25@30c and washed at 50c per bu. CELERY—Home-grown, large at 50@60c per bunch; small at 15@20c; Kalamazoo at 5@12½c per bunch. California Golden Heart at $3.25 per crate delivered. EGGPLANT—Florida, 1⅓-bu crates, $2@2.50. CUCUMBERS—Hothouse, $2 per dozen.

Butter and Eggs.

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—Butter—Firm; creamery, 18@26½c; dairies, 18@23c. Eggs—Weak; at mark, cases included, 18@19c. Cheese—Firm; daisies, 13c; twins, 11¾@11¾c; Young Americas, 13c. Poultry—Live, weaker; turkeys, 14c; chickens, 11½c; springs, 10c.

Local Clearings.

	Clearings.	Balances.
Today	$ 7,857,556	$ 909,167
This week	65,585,144	5,296,901
Last week	59,109,310	6,214,898
Same last year	61,424,155	5,588,137

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3863 Bell av., 6 rooms, bath, furnace.... 20 00
3155 Bell av., 6 rooms, bath, etc........ 22 50

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2513 University st., 4 rooms, bath, etc... 20 00
1119 S. Thirteenth st., 4 rooms, 1st floor 15 00
2411½ Dickson st., 3 rooms, 2d floor...
4170A Flad av., 6 rooms, furnace, combination gas fixtures, gas range, bath, etc.; new 27 50
606 S. Garrison av., 3 rooms........ 9 00
2925 Dickson st., 4 rooms and stable....

STORES.

1211 N. Taylor av., new store, suitable for millinery, etc.; cheap........
407 N. Euclid av., new store, suitable for milliner, etc.; cheap........

STABLES.

3541 Manchester av., for 15 horses..... 10 00
2925 Dickson st., good stable 8 00

IMPROVED PROP'TY FOR SALE.

HOUSE—For sale, 4208 Lexington av. (A block), nice 5-room frame house, with cabinet mantel, folding doors, water, gas and sewer; lot 25x180; a bargain; easy terms.(7)

HOUSE—For sale, 4243 N. Broadway, substantial two-story frame house; occupied by owner, who will allow inspection; want quick sale. (98)

HOUSE—For sale, 1619 Belt av.; new 2-story 5-room house; porcelain bath, toilet; just completed; lot 30x190; will sell at a bargain for quick sale; terms if desired. JOHN McMENAMY INVST. & R. E. CO., 3139 Easton av. (2)

HOUSES—For sale or trade, three good brick houses in West End, for grocery, stock general merchandise or good farm; small mortgage on each house to run 5 years. Ad. O 174, Post-Dispatch. (6)

FLAT—For sale, 939-939A Maryville av., new 11-room steam-heated flat; lot 25x150; annual rent, gross, $1020; net, $800; price $8500; clerk at Hamilton Hotel will show the property; terms $2000 cash, balance on time. JOHN S. BLAKE & BRO. REALTY CO., 17 and 19 N. 7th st. (41)

Flat for Two Families, $3000.

4041 Connecticut st.; 4 blocks west of Grand av. on the Tower Grove street car line; a well-built, substantial brick building, arranged in flats, on a lot 25x125; the property has sewer, water, gas and bath, large cellar, attic; within a block of the Horace Mann School, and in a first-class neighborhood; in the Holy Family parish; you can buy this piece of property, live downstairs and rent the upstairs, and be as independent as a hog on ice; the property will be open today for inspection; I will be glad to show you the best bargain ever offered in St. Louis. For terms and further particulars see my agent, JOHN S. KING, Corridor Lincoln Trust Bldg.

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GEO. A. SLATERY, 810 Chestnut st. (8)

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

CARONDELET M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH, Virginia av. and Haven street. Dr. W. B. Palmore of the St. Louis Christian Advocate will preach at 11 o'clock tomorrow.

SOCIETY OF SCIENTIFIC AND RELIGIOUS TRUTHSEEKERS—Howard Hall, corner Olive and Garrison, Sunday, 2:30 and 7:30 p. m.; lecture and demonstration of immortality at each meeting; admission free.

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH—Corner Locust and Beaumont (Twenty-seventh) streets. W. C. Bitting, pastor. Worship, with sermon, 11 a. m., "God's Real Estate;" 8 p. m., "Faith's Unreasonable Exception."

LINDELL AVENUE M. E. CHURCH—Lindell and Newstead avenues (4400 west). L. H. Dorchester, pastor. 11 a. m., pastor's topic, "Benjamin Franklin," commemorating the bicentenary of Franklin's birth; 8 p. m., topic, "Poor Calculation." Everybody welcome to all services.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Washington avenue and Forty-first street. Morning at 11, Rev. Wallace Faris of China; evening at 8, Rev. Dr. McClelland, secretary Presbyterian Board of Freedom. All are cordially invited.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Delmar avenue, near Grand. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. Thomas B. McLeod, D. D., at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. You are cordially invited to these services.

ST. PETER'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Lindell and Spring avenues. Rev. David C. Garrett, rector. Rev. S. E. Arthur, assistant. Services, 7:45 and 11 a. m., 8 p. m. Strangers heartily welcome.

TEMPLE ISRAEL—Sunday morning at 10:30. Rabbi Harrison will preach. Subject, "The Fool and His Folly, and the Way to Wisdom." All interested are welcome.

ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH—Olive and Forty-third streets. Dr. Holland will preach Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Subject, "He Descended Into Hell."

DEATHS.

BECKTOLD—On Friday, Jan. 12, 1906, at 4:30 a. m., Pauline Becktold (nee Neumeister), beloved wife of the late Jacob Becktold and mother of Rose, Edna and Pauline Becktold, at the age of 41 years, after a short illness.
Funeral from family residence, 2637 South Twelfth street, Sunday, Jan. 14, 1906, at 2 p. m.

BRADLEY—On Friday, Jan. 12, 1906, at 2 p. m., after a lingering illness, Florence Bradley, beloved daughter of Robert and Anna Bradley (nee Gorman), sister of Robert, John and Jose h Bradley, aged 11 years 10 months and 3 days.
Funeral takes place on Sunday, Jan. 14, at 1 p. m., from residence, 2237 Madison street, to Church of the Sacred Heart, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

BROOKS—Entered into rest on Thursday, Jan. 11, 1906, at 11:15 p. m., after a lingering illness, Mrs. Elizabeth Brooks, beloved wife of Stewart Brooks and our dear mother, aged 63 years.
Funeral will take place Sunday, Jan. 14, at 1 p. m., from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. W. S. Espy, 4214 Blaine avenue.

COLLIER—At his residence in New York, Jan. 10, 1906, of heart failure, Maurice Dwight Collier, in his 60th year, son of the late George Collier.

CROLL—On Friday, Jan. 12, 1906, at 8 a. m., Sidney C. Croll, at San Antonio, Tex.
Mr. Croll was a member of the Rapp & Moller Carriage Co. of this city.

DRISCOLL—On Friday, Jan. 12, Julia Driscoll, the beloved mother of John P. Driscoll, Mrs. M. J. McCarthy, Mrs. E. Dwyer, William Driscoll and Sister Vitalina of St. Joseph's Order.
The funeral will take place from 2702 Howard street, on Sunday, Jan. 14, at 2 p. m., to St. Leo's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. (7)

EAGAN—Entered into rest on Friday, Jan. 12, 1906, at 5 o'clock p. m., Michael Eagan, beloved husband of Kate Eagan (nee Burke) and father of Michael, James, Patrick, Richard, Annie, Ellen and May Eagan, and cousin of Officer Michael J. Gallegher.
Funeral will take place from the family residence, 1714 Division street, on Sunday, Jan. 14, 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m., to St. Lawrence O'Toole's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited.
Deceased was a member of Hyde Park Council, No. 4, L. of H.
New Orleans (La.) papers please copy.

FOGARTY—Entered into rest at Las Vegas, N. M., on Jan. 10, 1906, at 7:30 a. m., Michael J. Fogarty, beloved brother of Mary, Joseph and Robert Fogarty.
Funeral from residence of his sister, Mary Fogarty, 2804 Stoddard street, Sunday, Jan. 14, at 2:30 p. m., to St. Bridget's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited.
Deceased was a member of the Knights of Columbus, De Smet Council, No. 742.

FRANK—Mrs. Theresa Frank, 4264 West Belle place, Saturday morning at 5:15 o'clock, mother of Mrs. Henry Frank, Jacob N. Frank, Mrs. Adolph Levy, Mrs. Sam Auchell, Gustav Frank, J. N. Frank, Mrs. Joseph Auchell, Herman Frank and Mentor Frank.
Services from the residence on Sunday, Jan. 14, at 7:30 p. m. Interment in Evansville, Ind.
Evansville (Ind.) papers please copy.

GODDARD—After a lingering illness, on Friday, Jan. 12, 1906, at 2:30 a. m., William H. Goddard, beloved husband of Mary Goddard (nee Lynch), and father of Alice and Willie Goddard.
Funeral will take place from the family residence, 3154½ Clifton place, on Sunday, Jan. 14, at 2 p. m., thence to Concordia Cemetery.
Los Angeles (Cal.), Memphis (Tenn.), Independence (Kan.) and Kansas City papers please copy.

GRAICHEN—On Friday, Jan. 12, 1906, at 8 a. m., after a lingering illness, Robert Graichen, beloved father of Mrs. Michael J. Cahill (nee Graichen), and Henry Graichen, at the age of 67 years 11 months and 12 days.
Funeral from residence, 2708 Allen avenue, Sunday, Jan. 14, at 1:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

GRIFFIN—On Friday, Jan. 12, 1906, at 11:30 a. m., Elizabeth Griffin, beloved wife of the late John S. Griffin and aunt of William P. and Thomas B. Nolan and Mrs. William H. Moylan.
Funeral from family residence, 3547 Lawton avenue, on Monday, Jan. 15, at 9 o'clock a. m., to St. Francis Xavier's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends invited to attend. (7)

MARQUITZ—On Saturday, Jan. 13, 1906, at 3 a. m., after a lingering illness, John B. Marquitz, beloved husband of Adele Marquitz (nee Desmond), father of Mrs. J. T. Ryan, Louis, Mrs. Gates, Nellie, John, Esmarelda; brother of Joseph, William, Leopold Marquitz and Mrs. John Dennis.
Funeral takes place on Monday, Jan. 15, at 10 a. m., from residence, 1105A North Leonard avenue, to St. Peter's Church, thence to St. Peter's Cemetery of Kirkwood, Mo.

DEATHS.

NETTELER—Entered into rest, Henry Netteler, beloved husband of Josephine Netteler.
Funeral will take place from family residence, 2225 South Tenth street. Relatives and friends invited.

ORBAN—On Wednesday, Jan. 10, 1906, at 5:30 p. m., Minnie Orban, beloved daughter of M. and Kate Orban (nee Dreher), and dear cousin of Lizzie Johnson, at the age of 29 years.
Funeral will take place at Summerfield, Ill., Monday, Jan. 15, at 2 o'clock p. m.
Kansas and Oklahoma papers please copy.

SCHMIDT—On Friday, Jan. 12, at 5:30 a. m., after a lingering illness, at the age of 73 years, dearly beloved mother of Carrie Umbright (nee Schmidt), John, William and Charles Schmidt, and our dear grandmother.
Funeral will take place Sunday, Jan. 14, at 2 p. m., from family residence, 932 Rutger street, thence to Concordia Cemetery.

SEHNERT—On Friday, Jan. 12, 1906, Marie Sehnert (nee Valentine), beloved wife of John Sehnert.
Funeral will take place on Monday, Jan. 15, at 2 p. m., from her late residence, 2020 North Ninth street. Friends invited. Please omit flowers.

SMITH—Entered into rest on Thursday, Jan. 11, 1906, J. Jansen Smith, dearly beloved husband of Theodora C. Smith (nee Tesson).
Funeral from residence of brother-in-law, Chas De Muth, 510 W. Marceau street, on Sunday at 1:30 p. m., to St. Columbkille's Church, thence to Mount Olive Cemetery.
Houston and Dallas (Tex.) papers please copy.

WENGER—Entered into rest Friday, Jan. 12, 1906, at noon, Eliza Wenger (nee Schreiber), relict of William Wenger and mother of George, Emil and Dr. Edward Wenger and the late Gustavus Wenger, in her 78th year.
Funeral private from residence, 1828 Victor street, Sunday, Jan. 14, at 2 o'clock p. m. Please omit flowers.

WISSMAN—Entered into rest on Friday, Jan. 12, at 4:30 p. m., Bridget M. Wissman (nee McGuirk), beloved wife of Oscar L. Wissman, aged 23 years.
Funeral from family residence, 2709 Morgan street, Sunday, Jan. 14, at 9:30 a. m., to Rose Hill Cemetery, Kirkwood, Mo.

In Memoriam.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 13, 1906.
Sacred to the memory of our darling and brother, Stephen Ennis, who died two years ago today:

O, darling Stephen, how we miss you,
Two long years have passed away.
You are gone, precious, but not forgotten,
For we hope to meet you some sweet day.
You suffered long and murmured not,
Though you are gone, you are not forgot.
PARENTS, SISTERS AND BROTHERS.

BURIAL PERMITS.

R. Keane, 38, 3746 Evans; carcinoma.
L. Burns, 5, 2726 Adams; la grippe.
Thomas Walsh, 26, 2111A Cass; pneumonia.
J. M. Allen, 2436 S. 3d; croup.
H. Brandes, 57, 3713 Sullivan; apoplexy.
M. P. Owens, 51, 3924 Morgan; accident.
J. S. Clarke, 69, Poorhouse; tuberculosis.
A. Sutter, 30, 2831½ O'Fallon; cirrhosis.
Wm. Gaston, 28, 1302 Chouteau; nephritis.
D. J. Burke, 43, 1403 N. 6th; cirrhosis.
A. Kurkenthal, 28, 1536 Papin; typhoid fever.
C. A. McSorley, 45, Poorhouse; tuberculosis.
E. Gilmore, 9, 2806 Madison; rheumatism.
L. Schwartz, 3, Jefferson Hospital; sarcoma.
H. E. Johnson, 8, 2018 Morgan; malaria.
G. W. Colestock, 57, 2729 Armand; suicide.
H. Blumberg, 48, 4405 Louisiana; accident.
T. Rosswaag, 80, 2316 Franklin; peritonitis.
M. Brown, 66, 4114 N. Newstead; apoplexy.
Wm. Schnechel, 55, Washington University; cancer.
S. Schlitter, 25, 3539 S. Broadway; tuberculosis.
M. Bressler, 36, 3119 S. Broadway; uremia.
G. Gerstkamper, 30, 502 N. 15th; meningitis.
R. Westerman, 70, St. Mary's Infirmary; pneumonia.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Oliver L. Buddenberg ....3030 Morgan st
Mrs. Grace J. Carlin ....3030 Morgan st
James H. Hunter ....2628 Randolph st
Mrs. Cora L. Cockrell ....3949 Finney av
Prince Alfred Delany ....3909A Sherman av
Blanche Haees ....3909A Sherman av
Sammy Bronstein ....1105 Carr st
Rae Emilstein ....1518 Biddle st
Wenzel Eberhardt ....1423 Angelrodt st
Theresia Zimmermann ....1423 Angelrodt st
Charles M. Faust ....3226 Caroline st
Edna V. Lawson ....2011 McCausland av
Joseph H. Iskitwitch ....Isola, Miss
Sarah Richter ....2014 Market st
John L. Spillman ....3102 Morgan st
Della Harris ....Independence, Mo

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BIRTHS RECORDED.

C. and M. Haller, St. Louis; boy.
D. and M. Gaffney, St. Louis; boy.
J. and B. Klein, 1003 O'Fallon; boy.
B. and S. Hollander, 4531 Rutger; boy.
D. and E. Helstein, 2106 O'Fallon; boy.
J. and R. Durham, 3500 N. Theresa; boy.
I. and D. Bardol, 922 S. 14th; boy.
J. C. and R. Hoelzer, 2621 Nebraska; boy.
E. and M. Taylor, 4339 St. Ferdinand; boy.
E. J. and I. Kroeger, 4137A Louisiana; boy.
J. R. and M. V. Kitson, 21 S. 15th; boy.
A. and M. Boheim, 2819 N. Broadway; boy.
J. and C. Ott, 1632 Knapp; girl.
P. and W. Lane, 3514 Powers; girl.
H. and L. Unland, 4556 Carter; girl.
E. and G. Kountz, 810 Barry; girl.
R. and C. Le Berg, St. Louis; girl.
J. and H. Busel, 2329 Madison; girl.
E. and E. Holm, 1916A Warne; girl.
W. and C. Finn, 3411 Manchester; girl.
H. N. and A. Foepping, St. Louis; girl.
H. A. and A. G. Hartz, 4634 Farlin; girl.
F. and L. Rutherford, 5642 Garfield; girl.
S. A. and L. Woodford, 6032 Horton; girl.
P. and T. Render, 515 St. Anthony; girl.
L. and F. Brinkmeyer, 3153 Brantner; girl.
F. and M. Hogman, 1612 S. 12th; girl.
W. A. and A. Hooker, 1611 Hickory; girl.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Pulitzer Publishing Co. will be held at the office of the company, 210-212 N. Broadway, in the city of St. Louis, Mo., on Monday, Jan. 15, 1906, convening at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing a board of directors and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.
JOSEPH PULITZER, President.
D. W. WOODS, Secretary.
St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 31, 1905.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Meramec Highland Company, at the office of the company, 208 North Fourth street, St. Louis, Mo., on the 18th day of January, 1906, commencing at 9 o'clock a. m., for the consideration of such business as may be brought before it. The meeting will continue and may be adjourned until such business has been disposed of.
MARCUS BERNHEIMER, President.
S. J. BERNHEIMER, Secretary.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.—Notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Stix, Baer & Fuller Dry Goods Co. will be held at the office of the company in the Grand-Leader Building, Washington avenue and Broadway, in the City of St. Louis, Mo., on Tuesday, the 16th day of January, 1906, at the hour of 9 o'clock a. m., for the election of directors and such other business as may come before the meeting.
CHAS. A. STIX, President.
SIGMUND BAER, Secretary.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Laclede Gas Light Co. for the election of directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before said meeting will be held at the office of the company, 716 Locust street, St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 15, 1906, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 12 m.
JOHN I. BEGGS, President.
C. L. HOLMAN, Secretary.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Sessinghaus Milling Co. will be held at the office of the company, Ninth and North Market streets, City of St. Louis, Monday morning, Jan. 15, 1906, at 9 o'clock, for the election of directors and such other business as may come before the meeting.
C. J. HANEBRINK, President.
Attest: O. F. SESSINGHAUS, Secretary.
Jan. 5, 1906.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETINGS.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Kinloch Telephone Co. will be held at the office of said company, on the 10th floor of the Century Bldg., northwest corner of 9th and Olive streets, in the city of St. Louis, Mo., on Monday, Jan. 22, 1906, for the purpose of electing 13 directors to serve for the ensuing year and for the transactions of such other business as may properly come before it; polls open from 9 a. m. to 12 m.
WM. D. ORTHWEIN, President.
H. LINTON REBER, Secretary.
St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 30, 1905.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Lincoln Trust Co. for the election of directors to serve during the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the company, Missouri Trust Building, St. Louis, State of Missouri, on the 15th day of January, 1906, at 9 o'clock a. m.
A. A. B. WOERHEIDE, President.
Attest.
CHARLES HAMILTON, Secretary.
St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 30, 1905.

Lost and Found

LOST.

COUPONS—Lost, 8 United Railway coupons in Mississippi Valley Trust Co. envelope; payment stopped. Ad. Y 38, Post-Dis.

COUPONS—Lost, three United Railways coupons, in Mississippi Valley Trust Co. envelope. Reward if returned to 401 N. Euclid av. (7)

DOG—Lost, white hunting dog, with brown spots; reward. 4419 Easton av.

DOG—Lost, white and liver pointer, slight crook in tail; reward. Return to 3701 Illinois avenue. (7)

DOG—Lost, fox terrier dog with 2 small black spots nearly to center of back, also black head with yellow neckband lock, rest white. Finder please return to 508 Market st. and receive reward.

GLASSES—Lost, noseglasses, on Easton or Goode avenue; reward. 4215 Easton av.

GLOVES—Lost, pair of boy's brown fur gloves; reward. Ad. W 106, Post-Dispatch. (6)

HANDBAG—Lost, by needy woman, handbag with money; Grand-Leader basement; reward. Ad. Y 87, Post-Dispatch.

HANDBAG—Lost, lady's leather handbag containing money, bankbook, papers, etc.; finder is welcome to keep money if the bag and papers are returned. Ad. Y 164, P.-D. (7)

HORSE—Stolen, claybank stallion, about 13 hands high, star on forehead, shod all round, compact build; reward for information or his recovery. George Morrison, Big Bend rd. and Bowman st. (7)

POCKETBOOK—Lost, Friday at Union Station, pocketbook containing Marion (Ill.) State Savings Bank book, valuable papers and small amount of money. Return to Mrs. L. Crawford, Horn's Hotel; reward.

RING—Lost, pearl ring, wrapped in tissue paper; liberal reward. Mrs. Single, 1804 Locust st. (7)

SHOPPING BAG—Lost, leather shopping bag, containing pair gold-rimmed glasses in case, bunch of keys, handkerchief and two small purses. Reward if returned to 5163 Vernon.

SPOON—Lost, gold spoon, on Page bl. car, 5 o'clock Friday afternoon; keepsake; return; reward. 716 N. Compton.

UMBRELLA—Lost, umbrella, blue and gold handle; $5 reward. G. H. Knight, 5858 Julian av. (7)

WATCH—Lost, on Easton car, Saturday morning, lady's open-face gold watch. Return to Postmaster's office for reward.

WATCH—Lost, blue enameled watch and pin Jan. 12, 1906, at 3 p. m., from 3700 Lucky to Grand and Finney; reward. 3711 Lucky.

WATCH—Lost, lady's gold watch on Suburban car, between Maplewood, Sarah st. and Clarendon av., Friday evening; monogram M. G. O. Return 5207 Maple av.; liberal reward.

Employment Wanted

MALE.

ACCOUNTANT—Sit. wanted by competent accountant; confidential work done; days or evenings. Ad. W 182, Post-Dispatch. (1)

ACCOUNTANT—Young married man, thoroughly acquainted with credit clothing office, capable of making credits; 2½ years' experience; references and bond. 511 N. 39th st., East St. Louis, Ill. (7)

ARTIST—Sit. wated by young man as artist's assistant; commercial or lay-out work; can show samples. 1529 S. 7th st. (1)

ASSISTANT—Position wanted as assistant in dental office; best of reference. Ad. Y 134, Post-Dispatch.

BAKER—Sit. wanted by third hand baker, to help in bakery. 4932 Easton av.

BARTENDER—Sit. by first-class bartender; can furnish best of references. F. L., 2729 Lawton av. (7)

BARTENDER—Sit. wanted by first-class bartender; can furnish city references. Ad. Y 47, Post-Dispatch. (7)

BARTENDER—Sit. wanted by first-class bartender, with best of city references. Ad. Y 93, Post-Dispatch. (7)

BOOKKEEPER—If wanting the services of an experienced bookkeeper Ad. H. M. Rains, Benton House, Pine, near 9th st. (7)

BOOKKEEPER—Competent and reliable, wants position; experienced in lumber; best references. Ad. Y 77, Post-Dispatch. (6)

CARPENTER, ETC.—Good carpenter and wife wants place together; wife for housework, man can tend furnace, stock or milk, or will do carpenter work; good hustlers. Call after 6 p. m. Davison, 1125 Locust st. (6)

CHAUFFEUR — Experienced young Englishman, 24, good repairer, wants situation at once; moderate wages. Ad. Y 184, Post-Dispatch. (7)

CHAUFFEUR—Young man with some experience, both running and repairing, wants to finish learning; small wages. Ad. Y 95, Post-Dispatch. (7)

CHEF—Position wanted as chef by a No. 1 man; strictly sober, reliable and capable of position; can furnish best of references. Ad. Y 16, Post-Dispatch. (7)

CLERK—Sit. wanted by office boy and bill clerk; can furnish recommendation. Ad. Y 84, Post-Dispatch. (7)

CLERK—Young man wishes position as clerk; good penman; can also operate typewriter. Ad. Y 130, Post-Dispatch. (7)

CLERK — Position wanted as shipping clerk or timekeeper; experience and reference. Ad. W 71, Post-Dispatch. (6)

COACHMAN—Young German of 20 years would like position as coachman and take care of horses. 2821 S. 18th st.

COLECTOR—Position wanted as collector by married man; can give cash bonds. Ad. 2502 Sullivan av. (6)

COLLECTOR—Position wanted as collector by experienced young man; references. Ad. W 112, Post-Dispatch. (6)

COLLECTOR—Sit. wanted as collector and assistant bookkeeper with insurance company, bank or any other good company; will furnish best of references and recommendations and bond. Ad. Y 34, Post-Dispatch. (7)

COOK—Sit. wanted by sober, first-class white hotel cook; state wages. Ad. for 3 days, Ches. Garrison Pharmacy. (1)

DRIVER—Young man wants work to drive delivery wagon. Call or write C. M. Duve, 4624 Nebraska av.

DRUG CLERK—Position wanted by registered drug clerk. Ad. Y 105, Post-Dispatch. (7)

DRUGGIST—Sit. wanted by young married registered druggist; 8 years' experience; steady habits; speak German; good references. Ad. Y 180, Post-Dispatch. (7)

ELECTRICIAN—Sit. wanted by electrician; experienced at handling dynamos, motors, arc lights, repairing and general maintaining; qualified for second engineer; city references. Ad. Electrician. 5531 St. Louis. (7)

ENGINEER—Sit. wanted by an allround man; city or country. Ad. O 150, Post-Dis. (6)

FIREMAN—Sit. wanted by experienced fireman; good on down draft or any work in boiler room. Ad. Y 129, Post-Dispatch. (1)

FOREMAN—Sit. wanted by foreman; thoroughly experienced, sober, honest man; foreman in stable; call or address. 4449 Cote Brilliante av. (7)

HOUSEMAN—Good young man wants sit. as houseman; any kind work around house; reliable and sober. Ad. Y 107, Post-Dis. (3)

HOUSEMAN, ETC.—Sit. wanted by colored man as houseman or butler; understands steam heat; references. A. Coleman, 2230 Scott av. (6)

MACHINE HAND—Sit. wanted by first-class wood-working machine hand, on triple-drum Sander. Ad. 929 La Salle st., W. M. (7)

MACHINIST—Sit. wanted by good machinist; can give A1 references. Ad. Y 137, P.-D. (7)

MAN AND WIFE—Sit. wanted by colored man and wife; wife to cook, man to do housework. M. D. Jones, 2643 Pine.

MAN—Position wanted by middle-aged man; sober, steady, industrious; country preferred. Ad. Y 113, Post-Dispatch. (1)

MAN—Sit. wanted by middle-aged German, care of horses, cows and work around place. Ad. Y 192, Post-Dispatch. (7)

MAN—Sit. wanted by young man from country; handy man around house and caring for horses; good references. 2826 Thomas st. (7)

MAN—Sit. wanted by energetic young man; good habits; best references. Ad. Y 59, Post-Dispatch. (7)

MAN—Young man, aged 21, wishes position of any kind; have a good education. Ad. Y 62, Post-Dispatch. (7)

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

MAN—Job or steady work wanted by man handy with tools; repair anything. Ad. Y 195, Post-Dispatch. (7)

MAN—Sit. wanted by young married man from country; must have employment at once; good worker. Ad. A. E., 2864 Lincoln. (7)

MAN—Sit. wanted by man as help in kitchen or hotel or private residence; strictly sober and honest. Ad. C 79, Post-Dis. (1)

MAN—Young man of 23 wants position in factory; steady work main object; or at anything. Ad. C 102, Post-Dispatch. (7)

MAN—Sit. wanted by energetic young man; good position with reliable firm where he can work himself up and stay; best of references. I mean business. Ad. R 42, Post-Dis. (6)

MAN—Intelligent allround man wants work of any kind; wholesale house preferred; can write and read; references. Ad. W 93, Post-Dispatch. (6)

MAN—Greek young man, 22 years old, and speaks some English, would like to find a rich American family to work for; without money, but he wants to learn the English language. Ad. Nek Thomson, 200 S. 3d st. (7)

MEATCUTTER—Position wanted by first-class allround shopman as meatcutter; experienced. Ad. Y 81, Post-Dispatch. (7)

PAINTER—Sit. wanted by painter; can also do janitor work. Ad. Y 29, Post-Dis. (6)

PAINTER AND VARNISHER—With 10 years' experience, wants sit. with a hotel, office bldg. or large manufacturer; can take charge of work; can give references. Ad. Y 50, Post-Dispatch. (7)

PLUMBER—Position wanted by nonunion plumber. Ad. J. Rivers, 4881 Euclid, Pharmacy. (1)

PLUMBER—Advanced student of Coyne's Plumbing School would like position with 1st-class plumber as helper. Ad. B 2, P.-D. (1)

PORTER, ETC.—Sit. wanted by first-class German saloon porter and lunchman. 217 Market st., Joe Gatner.

PORTER—Sit. wanted as porter in wholesale house by colored man, experienced at commercial business; references. Leonard Tuggle, 1537 Singleton st. (7)

REPRESENTATIVE—Young man, honest, educated, total abstainer, desires to act as California representative of any reliable commercial house; salary $85 per month and expenses. Ad. W 83, Post-Dispatch. (6)

SALESMAN—Sit. wanted by experienced gent's furnishing goods salesman; A1 references. Ad. W 104, Post-Dispatch. (6)

SHIPPING CLERK—Sit. wanted by young man, 22 years old; 5½ years' office and shipping clerk experience in retail dry goods; desires to change. Ad. Y 19, Post-Dis. (7)

WAITER—Sit. wanted by colored man as waiter in hotel or housework. Write 1549 Gratiot. (6)

WATCHMAN—An old soldier wishes position as watchman; best references. Ad. R 43, Post-Dispatch. (6)

WATCHMAN—Old soldier wishes position as watchman; best references. Ad. B 30, Post-Dispatch. (1)

WATCHMAN, ETC.—Position wanted as night watchman hotel clerk; man 29 years old; speaks English and German; references furnished. Ad. Y 185, Post-Dispatch. (7)

TO PRINTERS AND PUBLISHERS

Situation wanted as foreman or assistant (union), with or without proofreading part of time; ample experience in both; familiar with editorial work and preparation of copy; can get work out and get along with men; satisfactory reasons for leaving large concern by which I am now employed and to which I refer. Ad. R 14, Post-Dispatch. (2)

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

COLLECTOR—Sit. wanted by young man as collector and to assist in office; references and bond. Ad. B 31, Post-Dispatch. (4)

COOK—Sit. wanted by colored cook. 2820 Laclede av.

COOK—Sit. wanted by well experienced cook and chambermaid. Call 2626 Morgan.

COOK—First-class colored woman wishes position as cook. 2235 Walnut st.

COOK—Sit. wanted by neat colored woman, plain cook, housework or chambermaid; good references. Write or call at once. F. C., 1415 Pine st. (6)

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by experienced housegirl, in small flat. S. R., 3628 Washington bl.

HOUSEKEEPER—An experienced woman, 35 years old, wishes a position as housekeeper for bachelor or widower. Ad. B 39, P.-D. (1)

HOUSEMAID—Sit. wanted by neat colored girl as housemaid or chambermaid; can give references. 3639 Cottage av.

HOUSEKEEPER—Position wanted as housekeeper by good, clean cook; references from last employer. Ad. 2308½ N. 11th. (6)

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted, take charge of rooming house. Mrs. J. Walshe, 1627 Washington av.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted as housekeeper in small family by middle-aged woman. Call 1815 Biddle st.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted by respectable lady as good housekeeper for several men or widower's home; first-class references; none but respectable persons need answer. Ad. B 38, Post-Dispatch.

LADY—Formerly connected with leading jewelry store as saleswoman, desires position in physician's or dentist's office; references. Ad. W 140, Post-Dispatch. (7)

LAUNDRESS—Wants work out or to bring home. 2008 Wash st.

LAUNDRESS—Good colored laundress wants place for Monday. 2643 Pine.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by laundress first 2 days in week. 3948 Papin st.

LAUNDRESS—Washing wanted to take home or go out. Mary Werner, 822 Ann av. (7)

LAUNDRESS—Wanted, work as laundress by colored woman, or dishwasher. 105 S. 20th.

LAUNDRESS—Wants to take washing home; call or write. 1321 Wash st., 2d floor.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wantd by colored laundress for Monday and Tuesday. 2817½ Manchester av.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted to do washing by the day or bundles at home. A. Jackson, 1506 Lucas av.

LAUNDRESS—German woman wants to go out washing Mondays and Tuesdays. 1901 Newhouse av.

SEAMSTRESS—Sewing wanted; infants' and children's clothes neatly made. Mrs. Knott, 1500 St. Louis av., upstairs. (7)

SECRETARY—Sit. wanted by woman with 10 years' business experience, as secretary to professional man, for one-half each day; $30 month. Ad. Y 114, Post-Dispatch. (7)

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. wanted by young lady stenographer, beginner; willing to work. Ad. W 92, Post-Dispatch. (6)

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. wanted by competent stenographer; 5 years' experience; low salary to begin with. Ad. Y 170, Post-Dis. (3)

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. wanted as stenographer by young lady, some experience; small salary beginning; Premier machine. 3952 Garfield av.

STENOGRAPHER—Capable young lady, experienced, employed, desires change; best of references; Remington or Underwood; salary $10. Ad. Y 109, Post-Dispatch. (7)

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. wanted as stenographer; competent; best references; moderate salary. Ad. room 403 Globe-Democrat Bldg. (6)

STENOGRAPHER—Expert and careful young woman wants position; especially desires place where advancement is possible; will begin at $12 a week. Ad. O 186, P.-D. (1)

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. by stenographer, with some experience; willing to do general office work or assist with clerical work. Ad. R 9, Post-Dispatch. (7)

STENOGRAPHER—Permanent position wanted; well educated stenographer; 11 years experience; capable of taking charge correspondence; understands clerical work thoroughly. Ad. W 101, Post-Dispatch. (91)

TELEPHONE OPERATOR—Position wanted by lady telephone operator in private exchange. Ad. Y 171, Post-Dispatch. (7)

WOMAN—Sit. wanted in dental office. Ad. T. D., 113 S. Channing.

Help Wanted

MALE.

BOOKKEEPER Wtd.—Thoroughly experienced bookkeeper, not over 25 years of age; city reference; state salary expected. Ad. Y 67, Post-Dispatch. (6)

BOY Wtd.—For grocery and delivery. 23[illegible] Geraldine av. (7)

BOY Wtd.—Honest boy to do delivering and collecting; must give bond. 4967 Delmar bl.

BOY Wtd.—About 16 years old, to work in bakery. 4101 Cook.

BOY Wtd.—Colored boy to do janitor's service in physician's office. 3960 Olive st. (6)

BOYS Wtd.—14 years and over. Mangle Box Co., Folsom and Lawrence. (8)

BOY Wtd.—Good boy, 17 years old. Scheu's Pharmacy, 4395 Laclede.

BOY Wtd.—Errand boy for office and store; 15 years old. Call 312 Olive st.

BOY Wtd.—Boy, about 18 years old, in retail shoe store. 2028 S. Broadway. (7)

BOY Wtd.—Experienced house and dining room boy; colored; references. 4056 McPherson av.

BOYS Wtd.—Bright boys between 14 and 15 years of age; capable of advancement, for wholesale house. Ad. P 85, Post-Dispatch. (6)

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BOY WANTED—A tidy and clean boy for elevator. Apply today, between 6 and 8, or Sunday a. m., between 9 and 11, at Rosenheim's, 512 Locust. (7)

CABINET MAKERS Wtd.—American Car Co., 1525 Old Manchester rd. (7)

CANVASSERS Wtd.—Experienced house-to-house canvassers; salary; references required. Call after 3 p. m. or before 8 a. m. Raming, room 4, Lindborg's Hotel. (6)

CAR CARPENTERS, ETC., Wtd.—Car carpenters and car builders. Apply American Car and Foundry Co., Madison, Ill. (8)

CLERK Wtd.—By a wholesale liquor firm, an experienced shipping and revenue book clerk. Ad. Y 200, Post-Dispatch. (7)

COLLECTOR Wtd.—At Carondelet. Apply Saturday afternoon or Monday morning. 1405 Missouri av.

COLLECTOR Wtd.—Installment collector for merchandise accounts; good salary and expenses. Ad. Globe Co., 723 Chestnut st., Philadelphia, Pa. (6)

COMPOSITOR Wtd.—For label work. 16 S. 2d st.

COMPOSITORS Wtd.—Straight matter. Room 705, 810 Olive st. (8)

COMPOSITORS Wtd.—Nonunion; $19.50 per week of 54 hours. Buxton & Skinner Stationery Co., 4th and Olive sts. (8)

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COMPOSITORS Wtd.—Two expert job compositors; positions guaranteed to satisfactory men. George F. Lasher, 147 N. 10th st., Philadelphia. (3)

CUTTER Wtd.—For city tailor; give age and last place employed; young man prefer. Ad. Y 143, Post-Dispatch. (7)

DRAFTSMAN Wtd.—Good architectural draftsman; steady employment. Apply E. P. Maule Jr., 1215 Chemical Bldg. (6)

DRIVER Wtd.—For laundry wagon; $50 cash bond required. Century Laundry Co., 4666 Easton av.

DRUG CLERK Wtd.—Registerd; must speak German. 1532 S. Broadway.

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ERRAND BOY Wtd.—Apply United Shoe Machinery Co., 1423 Olive st.

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LABORERS Wtd.—Apply 2800 De Kalb st. (8)

LABORERS Wtd.—Apply American Car and Foundry Co., Madison, Ill. (8)

LABORERS Wtd.—For pipe laying, at Chain of Rocks. Meet foreman at Waterworks Ry., East Grand av. and Hall st., 6:30 a. m. Fruin & Colnon, contractors. (7)

LATHE HAND Wtd.—Morganford rd. and Gravois. Christy Fire Clay Co. (7)

LYNOTYPE OPERATOR Wtd.—First-class man to work in open shop; good wages and steady work guaranteed. Shallcross Ptg. & Stay. Co. (6)

MAN Wtd.—Handy man around house; room and board; small wages. 2822 Washington.

MAN Wtd.—Clean, sober man to work in dining room. Voney's Restaurant, 313 Locust st.

MAN Wtd.—Neat, handy man; clean store and care for horse. St. Louis Wall Paper Co., 1623 Olive st.

MANAGER Wtd.—Branch office manager, to take charge of our business; references and bond required; chance to advance. Ad. Y 26, Post-Dispatch. (6)

MEN Wtd.—Quarrymen and laborers. Take Suburban car to Brentwood, walk north on Missouri Pacific Railroad to quarry; Monday morning. G. A. Heman. (7)

MEN Wtd.—Intelligent young men, between 18 and 20 years of age, for stock department, wholesale house; apply in own handwriting. Ad. W 91, Post-Dispatch. (6)

MEN Wtd.—Everywhere; good pay; to distribute circulars, advertising matter, tack signs, etc.; no canvassing. Ad. National Distributing Bureau, 100 Oakland Bank Bldg., Chicago. (6)

MEN AND BOYS WANTED.
If you are out of employment and in need of money, see the Post-Dispatch. Good corners for good all-day hustlers. You can easily earn from $6 to $20 each week. Call on Circulation Department today. (8)

OFFICE BOY Wtd.—An office boy, 14 years. 2838 California av.

OFFICE BOY Wtd.—Must be bright and willing; answer in own handwriting. Ad. A 137, Post-Dispatch.

OFFICE BOY Wtd.—About 15 years old; real estate and insurance office. Ad. Y 181, Post-Dispatch. (7)

OPERATORS Wtd.—Two first-class linotype operators; positions guaranteed to satisfactory men. George F. Lasher, 147 N. 10th st., Philadelphia. (3)

HELP WANTED—MALE.

PAINTERS Wtd.—Two nonunion housepainters; first-class men only. Apply 1440 East Grand av.

PIPEFITTER Wtd. — Pipefitter. Apply 2800 De Kalb st. (6)

PLUMBERS Wtd.—20 first-class men only. Ad. Aug. Reichert, Fort Smith, Ark. (8)

PORTER Wtd.—First-class colored porter. Leader Laundry, 2315-2321 Texas av.

PRESSFEEDERS Wtd.—Job pressfeeders. Buxton & Skinner Sta. Co., 4th and Olive sts. (8)

PRESSFEEDER Wtd.—Boy about 16 or 17, to feed press; call after 9 a. m. 811 N. 6th st.

SHIPPING CLERK Wtd.—At once, experienced shipping clerk, with best of city references and strictly sober; only man with experience in furniture business need apply. Hub Furniture Co., Broadway and Collinsville av., East St. Louis. (7)

SOLICITOR Wtd.—Young man, experienced solicitor, to sell office furniture; address with references A 140, Post-Dispatch. (7)

SOLICITORS Wtd.—Two bright young men, advertising solicitors; experienced and hustlers. 506 Mechanics' National Bank Bldg. (7)

STENOGRAPHER Wtd.—Man stenographer and collector; small salary to begin with. Ad. Y 178, Post-Dispatch. (1)

STENOGRAPHER Wtd.—Young man, about 18 years, as stenographer and clerk in real estate and insurance office. Ad. Y 182, Post-Dispatch. (7)

TEAMSTERS Wtd.—At stable, 2621 Fall av., E. Whalen. (7)

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SHOEWORKERS WANTED.

ASSEMBLERS, ETC., Wtd.—Assemblers and hand pullers. Roberts, Johnson & Rand Shoe Co., Hickory st. factory. (6)

CUTTERS Wtd.—Carruthers-Jones Shoe Co., Memphis. (1)

CUTTERS Wtd.—Trimming cutters on men's fine shoes. Courtney Shoe Co., 21st and Lucas av. (7)

CUTTERS, ETC., Wtd.—Cutters and pullers-over on McKay work. Crescent City Shoe Co., Evansville, Ind. (1)

CUTTERS, ETC., Wtd.—Cutters, lining cutters, trimming cutters, first and second lasters on turns. Hamilton-Brown Shoe Co., Security Factory 21st and Olive. (2)

FOREMAN Wtd.—For bottoming and finishing departments in factory making men's fine Goodyear welt shoes; must know how to care for machines and produce first-class work and get results; permanent position to right man; give references, experience and salary expected. Ad. A 155, Post-Dispatch. (7)

HEEL BREASTERS, ETC., Wtd.—Heel breasters and relasters. Roberts, Johnson & Rand Shoe Co., Hickory st. factory. (6)

OPERATOR Wtd.—Experienced operator on Glen insole machine. Tennent Shoe Co., 23d and O'Fallon sts. (6)

OPERATORS Wtd.—On niggerhead lasting machines. Apply Roberts, Johnson & Rand Shoe Co., 13th and Mullanphy. (7)

OPERATORS Wtd.—Niggerhead operators on men's welts. Hamilton-Brown Shoe Co., American Gentleman Factory, 21st and Locust sts. (6)

PULLERS Wtd.—To work on men's welt and McKay shoes. Carruthers-Jones Shoe Co., Memphis, Tenn. (6)

SEPARATOR Wtd.—Stitch separator. Apply Roberts, Johnson & Rand Shoe Co., 13th and Mullanphy. (7)

SHOEMAKER Wtd.—Goodyear channeler. Apply Roberts, Johnson & Rand Shoe Co., 13th and Mullanphy sts. (7)

SHOEMAKERS Wtd.—Experienced help in women's McKay lasting room; insole tacker; McKay outsole tacker; last boy and assemblers. Peters Shoe Co., 12th and North Market sts. (7)

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SALESMEN Wtd.—Bright, energetic salesmen for railroad; through run; good pay; apply at once. Van Noy News Co., 216 S. 18th st. (7)

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COOK Wtd.—Good white cook; best wages; small family. Apply 2831 Lafayette av.

COOK Wtd.—Good, plain cook, $20; also housemaid, $18; family of three; no washing. 3325 Washington.

COOK Wtd.—Girl to cook, wash and iron; German preferred; no children. 5527 Cates av.

COOK Wtd.—First-class white cook; good wages to competent woman. Apply 3671 Lindell bl. (7)

COOK Wtd.—Good girl as cook; must have references; good home. Dr. Grant, 5053 Westminster pl.

COOK Wtd.—Colored girl for cooking and housework; references required; phone Delmar 705. 5833 Julian av.

COOK Wtd.—Settled colored woman, first-class cook; Southern raised preferred. Call 5598 Bartmer av. (3)

COOK Wtd.—Good girl for cooking and general housework; laundress and man kept; good home: small family. 3535 Victor st.

GIRL Wtd.—Good wages. 913 N. 14th st.

GIRL Wtd.—First-class German girl, with references, to do cooking and laundry work; two in family; good wages and first-class home for satisfactory services. Apply between 7 and 10 a. m. 5156 Morgan st. (7)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—2102 Lafayette av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework; small family. 1813 Lafayette av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For general housework. 3223 N. Broadway.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For housework and assist with ironing. 4067 Washington bl. (7)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For general housework; no washing. 5131 Fairmount av. (7)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl or woman for housework; can sleep at home. 1109A Chouteau.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Competent housegirl; good wages. Apply 4535 Maryland. (7)

HOUSEWOMAN Wtd.—For housework. 4120 West Pine bl. (7)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Experienced girl for general housework. 2428 S. Broadway.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Good girl for general housework; small family. 5520 Clemens. (7)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For general housework; small family; good wages. 2352 Chouteau.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework. 3805 Cleveland. (7)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—A young girl to assist with general housework. 3543 Sidney.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Neat girl for housework and assist in laundry; good home. 4931 Page.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For general housework; no washing. 5024 Raymond av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—To assist with dining room and housework. 3628 Washington.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For general housework; 2 in family. Call at 8 N. 14th st.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework, white. 2604 Washington av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Good girl for housework. 3500 St. Louis av. (7)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Good girl for general housework; good wages; phone Grand 986. 4252 Shenadoah av. (7)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Good girl for general housework; small family, in flat. 4508A Easton, near Cora.

HOUSEWOMAN Wtd.—Woman for light housework; wages weekly. 2241 North Market st.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl or woman for general housework; no washing or ironing. 5900 Horton pl. (7)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework, with washing; wages $20. 4310 Maryland av. (7)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—A good, reliable girl or woman for general housework; no washing. 935 Utah st. (2)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl or woman for housework, at once. Park Hotel, 1820 E. Broadway, East St. Louis.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Good girl for general housework; no washing; good wages; references required. Apply 2352 Louisiana. (1)

HOUSEKEEPER Wtd.—Capable of taking care of children in widower's family; Catholic preferred. 1331A N. Vandeventer av. (7)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general house work; small family; 5-room flat; $20. 1252 N. Euclid av. (6)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Good girl for light housework; no washing; 3 in family. 22A S. 23d st.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Good German girl for general housework. Apply at once; wages $20. 4125 Lindell.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—A German girl for private boarding house, to assist in housework. Call 316 S. 14th st. (6)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For general housework; small family; good wages; no washing. 1745 Waverly pl. (7)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl or woman for general housework. Call Mrs. Morris, 302 Convent st. (7)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Neat girl for general housework; family of 3; no children; references. 5402 Cabanne av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For general housework; 3 in family; good wages. Call 1115 Missouri Trust Bldg. or phone Main 4157. (1)

HOUSEWOMAN Wtd.—Middle-aged white woman to assist in light housework; no washing; small family; all the comforts of home. 2902A Lucas av. (7)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For general housework; 4 adults; steam-heated flat; janitor for outside work; $18; references; call at night. 5904A Clemens av. (6)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—$20 per month and a good home for a good, competent girl; come prepared to start at once. 6320 Clifton av. Take Tower Grove car. (7)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl to do general housework in small family; house has every convenience; wages $21, or without washing, $18; must have good references. Apply to Mrs. Jos. R. Matthews, 450 Taylor av., Kirkwood, Mo. (7)

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LAUNDRESS Wtd.—White laundress. 3557 Lafayette av.

MISCELLANEOUS HELP.

A SHORT CUT TO SUCCESS—Try a 3-time ad in Post-Dispatch Wants. Results almost certain for anything. Money refunded on unused insertions. (8)

COMPOSITORS Wtd.—Straight matter. Room 703, 810 Olive st. (8)

COOK Wtd.—Woman cook, at once; good wages right party. New Lindell Cafe, 518-520 Walnut st.

EXAMINER Wtd.—Must be experienced on ladies' muslin underwear. Ferguson-McKinney Muslin Underwear Factory, 1006 Locust. (6)

FEEDER Wtd.—An experineced folding and ruling machine feeder; steady work to the right party. Greeley Printery, 618 N. 2d. (1)

FRAMEMAKERS Wtd.—Sixty girls to make ladies' hat frames; paid while learning; also 100 experienced girls. Sylvester Clarke, 915 Lucas av. (7)

FRAMEMAKERS Wtd.—Experienced framemakers; steady employment; best price paid for skilled labor; apply 5th floor. Rosenthal-Sloan Millinery Co., 1015-17-19 Washington av. (1)

GIRL Wtd.—To help in dining room and kitchen. 1015 S. Broadway.

GIRLS Wtd.—Over 14 years, to pick nuts. Apply 518 N. 2d st. (8)

GIRLS Wtd.—15 girls to work in embroidery factory. Apply 112 N. 9th. (7)

GIRL Wtd.—For dining room work. 1113 Clark av. (6)

GIRLS Wtd.—Experienced machine girls and basters on vests. 621 Lynch st. (6)

GIRL Wtd.—Office girl, by dentist; must live at home; $4 per week. Ad. Y 146, P.-D.

GIRLS Wtd.—Experienced girls for circulars. Luyties Homeopathic Pharmacy Co., Laclede and Vandeventer avs.

GIRL Wtd.—Lunchroom, East St. Louis and Suburban car sheds, 20th and State sts., East St. Louis. (7)

GIRLS Wtd.—To work in factory, 14 years of age; no experience necessary. Apply Meyer & Goessling, 717 N. 11th st. (7)

GIRL Wtd.—A bright girl to learn the photograph business; a good chance for right party. Olive Studio, 720 Olive st. (6)

GIRLS Wtd.—Must be over 14 years old. Apply sample department, third floor, Mills & Averill Tailoring Co., Broadway and Pine. (7)

GIRLS Wtd.—Experienced on power machines. Sylvester C. Judge, Ladies' Hatter, 1819 Pine st. (6)

GIRLS Wtd.—Twenty girls, 15 to 18 years old, for light, clean work in manufacturing department; steady employment. Inland Type Foundry, 12th and Locust. (1)

GIRLS Wtd.—For factory work all the year around; good wages; board and room in steam-heated apartments for $2.50 a week. 1710 S. 11th st. (6)

MODEL Wtd.—Female model, pose nude, Sundays, 9 to 12 a. m.; apply Saturday, 7 p. m. Room C, Studio Bldg., Jefferson and Washington. R. Hatfield.

OPERATORS Wtd.—On shirtwaists; easy system; highest prices; steady work all year. Olean Bros., 717 Lucas av. (75)

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

MISCELLANEOUS HELP.

PACKERS Wtd.—30 experienced cracker and cake packers. Apply Union Biscuit Co., 6th and Carr sts. (7)

PANTRY GIRL Wtd.—St. Luke's Hospital, 3501 Delmar.

SALESLADIES Wtd.—10 salesladies Monday morning. Scheer Bros., 19th and Sullivan. (7)

SALESWOMEN WANTED—Five first-class saleswomen for Trimmed Millinery Dept.; must be experienced. Apply Rosenheim's, 512 Locust, Sunday morning, between 9 and 11. (7)

SKIRTMAKERS Wtd.—Experienced skirtmakers. Apply Bry & Bro. Cloak Co., 1001 Lucas av. (7)

SKIRTMAKERS Wtd.—Experienced skirtmakers; $10 to $12 weekly guaranteed; come at once prepared to work. A. D. Gross & Co., 810 Lucas av. (7)

SKIRTMAKERS Wtd.—Experienced skirtmakers. Apply at John Hughes & Co. factory, northeast corner 8th and Franklin, 2d floor; call for Godlove. (6)

SKIRTMAKERS Wtd.—Steady work and good pay; high-speed machine. Apply Meyer & Goessling, 717 N. 11th st. (6)

SKIRTMAKERS Wtd.—Dress skirtmakers, female. Aply Ely & Walker Skirt Factory, 1421 Olive st., 4th floor. (1)

SKIRTMAKERS Wtd.—Experienced skirtmakers; steady work; good pay; high-speed machine. Apply Meyer & Goessling, 717 N. 11th st. (7)

SKIRT OPERATORS Wtd.—50 experienced operators; steady work; highest pay to competent hands. Apply Ferguson-McKinney Skirt Factory, 1006 Locust st., 5th floor. (3)

STENOGRAPHER Wtd.—Young lady stenographer. Call 1109 Olive st. (7)

STENOGRAPHER Wtd.—A1 stenographer; only most efficient need apply. J. D. Von Maur, Supt. st. dept. The Laclede Gaslight Co., 716 Locust st.

WAITRESS Wtd.—Experienced waitress. 5 N. 19th st.

WAITRESS Wtd.—At once; experienced. 2708 Olive st.

WASHERWOMAN Wtd.—For Mondays. 3805 Cleveland. (7)

WIRE FRAME MAKERS Wtd.—And girls to learn; best of wages paid. J. F. Koom, 8 N. 3d st. (8)

WIRE FRAME MAKERS Wtd.—Experienced wire frame makers and girls to learn; paid while learning. Sylvster C. Judge, ladies' hatter, 1819 Pine. (6)

WOMAN Wtd.—To work for husband's room and board; good cook. Ad. B 3, P.-D. (7)

WOMAN Wtd.—To work in exchange for her husband's room and board.

LAUNDRY HELP WANTED.

FINISHERS Wtd.—Two experienced shirt finishers, and also girls to learn. Ferguson-McKinney Laundry, 1520 N. 13th st. (7)

STARCHERS, ETC., Wtd.—Starchers and other laundry help. Apply Maplewood Laundry Co., 7319 Manchester av. (8)

SHOEWORKERS WANTED.

CLOSERS, ETC., Wtd.—Closers and top stitchers on men's fine shoes. Roberts, Johnson & Rand Shoe Co., 13th and Mullanphy sts. (7)

CLOSERS, ETC., Wtd.—Closers, toe seamers, lacers, stayers and allround stitchers on women's work. Peters Shoe Co., factory No. 1, Jefferson and St. Louis. (7)

OPERATORS, ETC., Wtd.—Consolidated operators and two hand lasters, Monday. Homestake Plant of the Brown Shoe Co., 12th and Russell. (7)

OPERATORS Wtd.—Niggerhead operators on men's Goodyear welts. Apply to Mr. Waterman, Hamilton-Brown Shoe Co., American Gentleman Factory, 21st and Locust. (1)

SOCKLINERS Wtd.—Experienced sockliners on women's shoes. Apply C. B. Brown, Hamilton-Brown Shoe Co., American Lady Factory, 21st and Locust sts. (1)

TOPSTITCHERS, ETC., Wtd.—Topstitchers, lining makers, packers and lacers, on ladies' fine shoes. Wertheimer-Swarts Shoe Co. (7)

VAMPERS Wtd.—Vampers on ladies work. Apply to Mr. Collins Brown Shoe Co., 18th and Wash. (2)

Rooms and Board

ROOMS FOR RENT—CITY.

A SHORT CUT TO SUCCESS—Try a 3-time ad in Post-Dispatch Wants. Results almost certain for anything. Money refunded on unused insertions. (8)

BELL AV., 4067—Furnished, large, cheerful 2d-floor front housekeeping room, with alcove; all conveniences.

BROADWAY, 107 N.—Fine rooms, service; 25 and 50c per day; low weekly rates. (4)

CARDINAL AV., 1020 N.—Neatly furnished room for two gentlemen or housekeeping. (7)

CARR ST., 610—Furnished rooms, $1.50 and $2.50; housekeeping or gentlemen.

CARR ST., 1721—Neatly furnished rooms, complete for housekeeping; all convs.; reas.

CASS AV., 2513—Furnished front room, for housekeeping; gas, bath.

CHESTNUT ST., 1109½—Large, nicely furnished front and side rooms, complete for light housekeeping or gentlemen; respectable and low rent. (6)

CHOUTEAU AV., 1109A—Clean, nicely furnished small room, with heating stoves; $1.25 and $1.50 per week. (7)

CLEVELAND AV., 3937—Front room, suitable for one or two gentlemen; phone and all conveniences; breakfast if desired; Park and Compton cars; very reasonable. (7)

COOK AV., 3918—Warm, furnished rooms; references exchanged. (6)

COOK AV., 3945—Furnished room, second floor, furnished for light housekeeping, or unfurnished.

COOK AV., 4299—Furnished room for housekeeping; gas, bath, furnace; southern exposure; reasonable; all conveniences.

DAYTON ST., 2831—Large second-floor front room; gas, bath; southern exposure; housekeeping; reasonable.

DELMAR BL., 3937—Three unfurnished rooms, with bath. (7)

DELMAR BL., 4482—Furnished front room for 2 gentlemen.

DELMAR BL., 4520—Nicely furnished room in private family; quiet and home comforts; bath, gas and furnace.

DICKSON ST., 2720—Neatly furnished room for 1 or 2 men; all conveniences; no other roomers or boarders. (6)

ELEVENTH ST., 12 N.—Front room, completely furnished for light housekeeping; cheap. (6)

EUCLID AV., 764 N.—Nicely furnished 2d-story front room and large connecting room, for two or four; hot bath adjoining; well heated; board if desired; private family; Suburban, Olive and Delmar cars all half block; reasonable. (7)

EVANS AV., 4364—Large second-story front room, with alcove; furnace heat, hot bath, gas and all conveniences; reasonable. (7)

FINNEY AV., 4107—Front parlor, handsomely furnished, for one or two gentlemen or ladies employed. (7)

FINNEY AV., 4208—Two nicely furnished rooms for housekeeping; hot bath, gas and phone.

FINNEY AV., 4256A—Two front rooms, furnished for light housekeeping; gas, bath, hot water.

FOURTEENTH ST., 926 N.—One or two finely furnished rooms, with or without kitchen.

FOURTH ST., 615 S.—Room and kitchen; also other rooms, cheap. (7)

FRANKLIN AV., 3014—Furnished room; all conveniences; reasonable; private family.

FRANKLIN AV., 910—Clean rooms, heat and bath; gentlemen; $1.25 per week. (7)

FRANKLIN AV., 3026A—Two front connecting rooms, furnished for housekeeping; bath, gas; also hall room.

FRANKLIN AV., 2915—2 nicely furnished housekeeping rooms, 2d floor; also large front room; all conveniences. (2)

FRANKLIN AV., 3035—Neatly furnished room, suitable for one or two ladies employed or light housekeeping if desired.

FRANKLIN AV., 1300—Furnished rooms; all conveniences; light housekeeping if desired. (7)

GARRISON AV., 1257 N.—Nicely furnished room; hot and cold water; reasonable.

GARRISON AV., 324 S.—Unfurnished, 3 large, bright rooms, second floor; bath, gas. (6)

GARRISON AV., 1349 N.—Two rooms for housekeeping; cook stove; $3.50; also one large room. (7)

GARRISON AV., 826 S.—Nicely furnished room in private family for two gentlemen or ladies employed; all conveniences; no other roomers; $1.25. (7)

GRAND AV., 1724—One or two connecting rooms, bath, furnished or unfurnished.

JEFFERSON AV., 1715 S.—Front room; also hall room; reasonable rates.

JEFFERSON AV., 413A S.—One or two rooms, furnished for housekeeping; cheap to permanent tenant. (7)

JEFFERSON AV., 3350A S.—One or two ladies employed to share 3 rooms, furnished for housekeeping; all conveniences; cheap. (7)

KENNERLY AV., 5629—Three nice rooms, $12. (7)

LACLEDE AV., 3706—Furnished and unfurnished rooms, all convs.; furnace heat. (7)

LACLEDE AV., 3504—Nice warm rooms; pleasant home; phone Lindell 3356; reas. (6)

LACLEDE AV., 2911—Second-floor front furnished hall room, $1.25; also housekeeping rooms, $2 week. (7)

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LACLEDE AV., 3323—Three rooms, 1st floor, furnished for housekeeping; gas range and heating stove; $5. (6)

LACLEDE AV., 3441—Nice front room for gents; also housekeeping; front and connecting room; conveniences.

LAFAYETE AV., 1510—One unfurnished room, $2.50 month.

LAWTON AV., 3209—Nicely furnished room in private family, for two gentlemen; all conveniences. (6)

LAWTON AV., 3536—Two prettily furnished front rooms for housekeeping; gas range; all conveniences. (7)

LAWTON AV., 2831—Furnished room for two gentlemen, $1 each, or housekeeping, $2; laundry, bath.

LAWTON AV., 3317—Front parlor for light housekeeping; use of kitchen; furnace heat; reasonable.

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LAWTON AV., 2922—Very large, nicely furnished 2d-floor front room; grate fire, gas light, hot bath, both phones; fine room for 2 or 4 gentlemen; reasonable to permanent people.

LEFFINGWELL AV., 201 S.—Nicely furnished front room, with or without light housekeeping.

LOCUST ST., 2806—Elegantly furnished front rooms; $3 and up; steam heat, gas, bath.

LOCUST ST., 2936—Furnished front room; also light housekeeping rooms; reasonable; warm rooms. (1)

LUCAS AV., 2902A—Second-floor front room; nicely furnished, for one or two ladies; reas.

LUCAS AV., 817—Furnished front room, for housekeeping or three gentlemen; $1 per week. (7)

LUCAS AV., 3018—2d-floor front and connecting steam-heated housekeeping rooms; also other rooms.

LUCAS AV., 3203—Furnished room, for light housekeeping; also front parlor, suitable for two gentlemen.

LUCAS AV., 3012—First and second-floor steam-heated rooms; housekeeping and otherwise; also other rooms, $1.50 per week up. (7)

LUCAS AV., 2823—Rooms, single or en suite; steam heat, telephone; every modern convenience. (8)

MARKET ST., 716—Neatly furnished front room for two; second floor. (7)

MARKET ST., 1309—Three furnished rooms, complete for light housekeeping, to respectable people. (2)

MARKET ST., 1505—Finely furnished, large, light, sunny rooms; steam heat, free baths, electric light; $2 per week up; reading room on 1st floor; this is the best in St. Louis. (8)

MORGAN ST., 2702—$2 rooms, furnished, 1st-class people.

MORGAN ST., 3301—Well-heated front rooms; conveniences; phone Beaumont 1566. (1)

MORGAN ST., 2112A—Neatly furnished front room, bath and conveniences, for gents. (7)

MORGAN ST., 2615—Front and back rooms; downstairs

MORGAN ST., 2808—Furnished room, third floor front; reasonable; also hall room, $1 per week.

MORGAN ST., 2604—Hall room, $1.25; room for housekeeping, with water, bath, $2.50; white people. (7)

MORGAN ST., 4008—Second-floor front room, beautifully furnished; well heated; private family; telephone, bath. (6)

MORGAN ST., 1621—Two connecting rooms for housekeeping; with cook stove; also hall room.

MORGAN ST., 4483—3 beautiful, connecting or single rooms; second story; rooms for gents.

MORRISON AV., 928—Nicely furnished room, for light housekeeping, also other rooms. (7)

MORRISON AV., 1219—Connecting rooms; housekeeping or gentlemen; private family; all conveniences; reasonable. (7)

NINETEENTH ST., 923 N.—Connecting rooms; water in kitchen; also sleeping room.

NINTH ST., 930 N.—Neatly furnished front room for two gentlemen; first floor; reas. (7)

NINTH ST., 1116 S.—Two well-furnished, clean, warm front rooms, for four young men; rent reasonable; ring upper bell. (7)

NORTH MARKET ST., 1314—Furnished rooms for gentlemen or housekeeping.

O'FALLON ST., 507—Single and double rooms, with or without housekeeping. (7)

OLIVE ST., 2205—Newly furnished rooms, hot and cold bath; rent reasonable.

OLIVE ST., 2736—Nicely furnished rooms, $1.25, $2 and $2.50; hot bath and gas.

OLIVE ST., 1528—Everything new and clean, by day or week; light housekeeping.

OLIVE ST., 2216—First-floor front room; furnace heat; gas, bath; also other rooms.

OLIVE ST., 2786—Nicely furnished rooms, $1.25, $2 and $2.50; hot bath, gas.

OLIVE ST., 2615A—Large front, light rooms, $3 per week; others, $2; conveniences.

OLIVE ST., 3524—Neatly furnished room, for light housekeeping; also hall room.

OL[IVE] ST., 3229—Nicely furnished rooms; all conveniences; prices very low; call and see.

OLIVE ST., 2841—Rooms for light housekeeping; other rooms; bath, gas, heat; so. ex. (7)

OLIVE ST., 2650—Nice, large front room for two gentlemen, $1 each; also front basement room.

OLIVE ST., 2825—Two pleasant connecting rooms for housekeeping; warm 3d-floor rooms; $1.50 per week. (7)

OLIVE ST., 2825—Two pleasant connecting rooms for housekeeping; warm third floor rooms, $1.50 per week. (7)

OLIVE ST., 2123—Nice large second-floor front, southern exposed and other rooms; gas and hot bath.

OLIVE ST., 1000—Large, comfortable front room, steam heat; no waiting for cars; gentlemen.

OLIVE ST., 1814—2 nicely furnished front parlor rooms for light housekeeping; hot bath. (7)

OLIVE ST., 1810—Housekeeping rooms, connecting or single; bath, gas, phone; reasonable prices.

OLIVE ST., 3214—Large rooms, furnished complete for housekeeping; gas, bath, heat; prices reasonable. (7)

OLIVE ST., 4001—Furnished front room, southern exposure; private family; 2 gentlemen; all comforts of home. (7)

OLIVE ST., 3697E—Elegantly furnished front parlor; heat; hot and cold water, bath, etc., for one or two persons; rent cheap. (7)

OLIVE ST., 3644—Handsomely furnished well-heated 2d-story front room; all conveniences; private family. (6)

PAGE BL., 5021A—Second-floor front room; southern exposure; bath, telephone, etc. (7)

PARK AV., 923—Two connecting furnished rooms; bath; light housekeeping. (7)

PAPIN ST., 1554—Nicely furnished room; 2 gents or light housekeeping; reasonable.

PARK AV., 2229—Beautifully furnished front room for light housekeeping; gas range; reasonable. (7)

PINE ST., 2904—Two rooms, furnished for light housekeeping; first floor. (7)

PINE ST., 2704—Furnished front rooms, with private kitchen if desired; gas, bath, heat.

PINE ST., 1007—Furnished rooms for housekeeping; also rooms for gentlemen.

PINE ST., 923—Fine steam-heated furnished rooms, with electric lights and free baths; rooms for four or six; come quick. (3)

PINE ST., 3234—Two connecting front rooms; complete for housekeeping; other rooms; reasonable; furnace heat.

PINE ST., 3440—Two furnished second-story front rooms for light housekeeping; three unfurnished. (6)

PINE ST., 3143—Three nice front rooms; also connecting rooms; light housekeeping; reasonable; furnace heat. (6)

PINE ST., 3416—Room on 2d floor; southern exposure; gas, hot bath, furnace heat; reasonable. (6)

PINE ST., 3009—Several cheerful rooms for gentlemen; furnace heat; gas, hot bath, etc. (3)

ROOM—Furnished room for light housekeeping, second floor, hot bath, $2.25. Ad. W 97, Post-Dispatch. (6)

ROOMS—Two nicely furnished rooms, all conveniences; private family; reasonable. Ad. Y 73, Post-Dispatch. (7)

ROOM—Nicely furnished front parlor to quiet couple; home of widow; furnace. Phone Beaumont 188. (7)

ROOM—One nicely furnished room for quiet couple; transient trade solicited. Ad. Y 120, Post-Dispatch. (1)

ROOMS—Franklin and 19th (over drug store)—furnished front connecting rooms; gas stove and light; for gentlemen or housekeeping. (7)

RUTGER ST., 1108—Furnished room, including heat and bath; $2.

ST. ANGE AV., 1443—Two rooms and kitchen; second floor; $10.

ST. ANGE AV., 1217—2 unfurnished rooms, with water; second floor.

ST. LOUIS AV., 1121—Furnished room for gentlemen or light housekeeping. (7)

SARAH ST., 1218 N.—Back parlor; quiet couple or two young ladies preferred; private family; home privileges; reasonable. (7)

SIXTEENTH ST., 1439 N.—Two connecting completely furnished housekeeping rooms, with cook stove; water, etc.; reasonable to respectable couple. (6)

SOULARD ST., 1016—Two furnished front rooms for light housekeeping. (1)

SPRING AV., 721 N.—Rooms, with or without board; Suburban and Olive car lines.

TENTH ST., 1118 S.—Furnished room for one or two gents; gaslight, heat and hot bath. (7)

THIRTEENTH ST., 212A N.—Steam-heated rooms. (7)

THIRTEENTH ST., 2851 S.—Two neatly furnished rooms; bath, light housekeeping; $2 per week.

ROOMS FOR RENT—CITY.

TWELFTH ST., 2300 S.—Rooms, complete for housekeeping; running water, steam heat, phone; Gray 1283. (6)

TWENTIETH ST., 814 N.—10 neatly furnished single rooms for light housekeeping; $1.50, $2 each. (6)

WASH ST., 1803—2d-floor front; also connecting rooms, for housekeeping; all convs.

WASH ST., 2301—Furnished rooms for ladies or gentlemen; $2 per week; quiet place. (1)

WASH ST., 1711—Furnished room for light housekeeping; gas stove, laundry, hall heated.

WASHINGTON AV., 1506—Rooms furnished for light housekeeping; reasonable.

WASHINGTON AV., 2809—Two connecting front rooms; housekeeping; gas, bath, gas range; $3.75 week.

WASHINGTON AV., 2902—Newly decorated, well-furnished warm room; private family; very reasonable. (7)

WASHINGTON AV., 3512—Beautiful rooms; private bath; $2 to $4 per week; Lindell 2289. (1)

WASHINGTON AV., 2631—Neatly furnished front rooms; gentlemen or housekeeping; $1 and up.

WASHINGTON AV., 1601—One nice second-floor room, with bath, gas, $2.50; single rooms, $1.50.

WASHINGTON AV., 1627—One large second-floor front room, $3; large back room, $2; light housekeeping.

WASHINGTON AV., 2902—Newly decorated, well-furnished, warm room; in private family; very reasonable.

WASHINGTON AV., 2937—Furnished rooms; large front room, arranged for 4; light, heat and hot bath, $12 per month; also room for 3, $9 per month. 716 N. Garrison.

WASHINGTON AV., 2828—Neatly furnished 2d-story hall room, suitable for 1 or 2 gentlemen; furnace heat, hot bath; also one other large, light room, with all modern conveniences.

WEST BELLE PL., 4482—One or two 2d-story rooms to gentlemen only; reas.

WEST BELLE PL., 4146—Front room in private family; phone and all conv. (2)

WEST BELLE PL., 4271—Neatly furnished front room; all conveniences; convenient to cars; private family. (7)

WESTMINSTER PL., 4106—Handsomely furnished rooms, heat and bath; $3 per week up. (7)

WESTMINSTER PL., 4259—One nice front room; steam heated; all conveniences; telephone; very fine location. (7)

WINDSOR PL., 3821 (2 blocks west of Odeon)—Two connecting rooms; board; both phones. (6)

FOR COLORED PEOPLE.

BEAUMONT ST., 620 N.—For colored; neatly furnished rooms, with all conveniences. (7)

CHANNING AV., 100 S.—Two rooms, in rear, for colored; first floor. Inquire 25 S. Channing av.

CHESTNUT ST., 2132—Neatly furnished rooms for 2 colored men, or man and wife.

COOK AV., 4299—Two furnished basement rooms for colored; rent part work; keep furnace.

LAWTON AV., 3238—Neatly furnished rooms, with hot and cold bath, gas.

MANCHESTER AV., 3315—Three rooms, first and second, for colored. Inquire 25 S. Channing av.

PINE ST., 1222—Furnished rooms for colored; day or week. (7)

ROOMS WITH BOARD—CITY.

AROO AV., 4311—Rooms, for two, in small family; with or without board.

ARMAND ST., 2759—Front room, heat and bath, with or without breakfast. (6)

BARTMER AV., 6020A—Nicely furnished room, with board; person employed; private family; Bell phone. (5)

BELL AV., 3028—Furnished rooms, bath, gas, heat; all conveniences; board if desired.

BIDDLE ST., 1815—Wanted, children to board by middle-aged woman; good home and good care; reasonable.

CABANNE AV., 5309—Elegantly furnished room, with board; tile bath, porcelain tub, steam heat; reasonable. (6)

CATES AV., 5530—Very desireable rooms; board optional; terms reasonable; strictly private family. (6)

COOK AV., 3730—Cozy rooms, first-class board, couples or gents; also single room. (7)

COOK AV., 3621—Pleasant rooms and board; all conveniences; near Grand; private family; reasonable. (7)

COOK AV., 3683—Neatly furnished rooms, suitable for ladies or gentlemen; good board; private family; reasonable terms. (6)

COOK AV., 4022—Furnished room, with board, for 2 gentlemen; $4 per week; modern conveniences.

COOK AV., 4625—Large furnished room, suitable for two gentlemen; with or without board; all conveniences; terms very reas.

DELMAR BL., 3820—Nice, large room, for 2 or 3 gentlemen, with good board. (7)

DELMAR BL., 3942—Room with first-class board only; nicely furnished; all convs. (7)

DELMAR BL., 4353—One fine furnished front room, with board; everything first-class. (6)

DELMAR BL., 4116—Rooms and board for 2 young men or man and wife; both employed. (8)

DELMAR BL., 3641—Lovely large room; superior meals; modern home comforts; best references. (7)

DELMAR BL., 4224—Beautiful front and back rooms, with board; private family; home cooking; all conveniences. (1)

DELMAR BL., 5223—Two connecting rooms, suitable for four people; with board; private; telephone, references. (7)

ETZEL AV., 5838—Large, light room, with good board, $25 for one; Cabanne vicinity. (2)

EUCLID AV., 764 N.—Nicely furnished 2d-story front room and large connecting room, for two or four; hot bath adjoining; well heated; board if desired; private family; Suburban, Olive and Delmar cars all half block; reasonable. (7)

EVANS AV., 4310—Nicely furnished room, with or without board; private family; convs.

EWING AV., 818 N.—First floor parlor, furnished or unfurnished; meals if desired; also small room.

FINNEY AV., 3714—Neatly furnished room, with or without board; furnace heat; hot bath. (7)

FINNEY AV., 4207—Desirable warm room for couple, with excellent board; private family. (7)

FINNEY AV., 3641—Large, nicely furnished room, with running water; first-class table board; also telephone, Delmar 2443. (6)

FOUNTAIN AV., 4819—South front room, with board, for gentlemen; Bell phone. (1)

FRANKLIN AV., 3419—Neatly furnished rooms and board, gentlemen only; all conveniences; front and back rooms. (7)

GARRISON AV., 916 N.—Pleasant, warm, second-floor room, with excellent board, $4 per week. (7)

INDIANA AV., 3524—Nice front room, with board for two ladies or couple; in private family. (7)

JUNIATA ST., 3824—One or two connecting rooms for two; conveniences; private residence; board optional. (7)

KENNETT PL., 1802—Second-floor room, with board; private family; running water in room.

KENNETT PL., 1813—2d-floor rooms; good board; bath, heat, phone; reasonable to couples. (2)

KING'S HIGHWAY, 844 N.—Comfortable rooms, with board; modern; private home; $5 and $6 per week. (7)

LACLEDE AV., 3432—Front room, with board, $4 week; suitable for 2 or 3. (7)

LACLEDE AV., 3509—Neatly furnished rooms, with board, furnace heat, bath; phone; $4 per week. (6)

LAFAYETTE AV., 2843—Nicely furnished room; steam heat; good table board; private family.

LAFAYETTE AV., 3130—Nice second-floor front room; all conveniences; home cooking. Phone Grand 1327. (6)

LAKE AV., 502 corner Westminster—Two beautifully furnished southern-exposed connecting rooms; hot-water heat, fine board, all comforts of home. (1)

LAWTON AV., 2923—Best board; warm rooms; hot bath; phone, piano; own home; $4.

LINDELL BL., 3916—Corner Vandeventer—Rooms and board; strictly first-class; reference required. (1)

LOCUST ST., 2131—Steam-heated rooms and board; $4.50 and $5 week; phone C1846. (7)

LOCUST ST., 1706—First-class room and board; new management. Mrs. G. L. Shelton, C831. (8)

LOCUST ST., 2307—Clean light rooms; home cooking and baking; electric lights, telephone. (1)

LUCAS AV., 3035—Wanted, boarders; home of widow; every attention; reasonable. Kin. C1413; Beaumont 1534. (7)

McMILLAN AV., 4539—First-class room and board; Delmar, Suburban car; phone; gentlemen or couples; reasonable.

McPHERSON AV., 4061—Elegantly furnished, well-heated rooms, with board; gentlemen only; reasonable. (6)

McPHERSON AV., 4060—Bright, well-heated, newly furnished rooms; excellent home cooking; special rates to gentlemen; pleasant surroundings; parlor, piano; phone Lindell 1092. (6)

MAPLE AV., 5123—Room and board in strictly private family. (7)

MAPLE AV., 5054—Young men or ladies employed can find excellent board; home comforts. (8)

MISSOURI AV., 1740—Second-floor front alcove room; board; hot water; two adults; small family.

MORGAN ST., 3431—Choice rooms, with board if desired, for 12 persons.

ROOMS WITH BOARD—CITY.

MORGAN ST., 4517—Furnished elegant back parlor, with or without board. (7)

MORGAN ST., 3518—Choice warm front room, with board; all conveniences. (7)

MORGAN ST., 5175—Room and board for 2 gentlemen or couple; private family. (7)

MORGAN ST., 4635—Modern, private, phone; connecting rooms for gentlemen; every convenience; phone Delmar 2561. (7)

MORGAN ST., 4114—Two neatly furnished rooms, with good board; all conveniences; terms reasonable.

MORGAN ST., 3956—Large, newly furnished room; excellent meals, for two employed; hot bath, gas, furnace, phone; reasonable. (7)

MULLANPHY ST., 2205—Wanted, 2 young ladies to room and board; private family; 2d floor. (7)

OLIVE ST., 2718—One front room and one hall room; board if wanted; cheap.

OLIVE ST., 3670—Two lovely furnished front rooms; furnace heat, hot bath; home cooking.

OLIVE ST., 2133—Good rooms and board; $3.50 and $4 per week; day board, $3. (7)

PAGE BL., 4055—Furnished rooms, first-class board, $5 per week. (1)

PAGE BL., 4055—Furnished front room, southern exposure; first-class board. (1)

PAGE BL., 4445—One nicely furnished room; southern exposure; suitable for 2; breakfast if desired. (7)

PAGE BL., 4656—Very pleasant, comfortable rooms, with or without board; telephone free; Forest 1325. (1)

PARK AV., 2233—Pleasant rooms and a good table; unlimited telephone; day boarders accommodated also. (7)

PINE ST., 3418—Second-floor front rooms; excellent heat; best board; telephone; very reasonable.

PINE ST., 3333—Neatly furnished rooms; gas, hot bath, furnace heat, phone; all conveniences; board optional. (8)

ROOM AND BOARD—In Cabanne; single room for gentleman, with board; private family; phone Forest 2741; references. (7)

ROOM AND BOARD—Nicely furnished room, with or without board; 5000 block Morgan; furnace heat. Ad. R 29, Post-Dis. (6)

ROOM AND BOARD—Excellent table; steam heat; comfortable home; convenient to car. Ad. C 738, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD—Delightful warm room; good board; every convenience; private family. Ad. W 116, Post-Dispatch. (6)

ROOM AND BOARD—West Pine bl., near Grand; private family will take a very limited number of first-class people to board; properly cooked food; rooms well furnished and scrupulously clean; warm, modern house; beautiful baths; polished floors and rugs; if tired of hotels and boarding houses, look this up; prices reasonable. Bell phone Lindell 3335. (6)

SPRING AV., 522 N.—Nicely furnished rooms, with board; half block from Olive car line. (2)

SPRING AV., 352 N.—Most desirable rooms, with or without board; well heated; all conveniences. (4)

THERESA AV., 920 N.—Elegantly furnished front rooms, with or without board; well heated; hot bath; home cooking; four car lines. (7)

THOMAS ST., 2806—Furnished room, for couple or two gentlemen, with board. (7)

VERNON AV., 5741—Nicely furnished second-story front room, first-class board. (6)

VERNON AV., 5463—Nicely furnished room and other rooms with board; private family; all conveniences; Bell phone, Forest 4040. (7)

VON VERSEN AV., 5545—Second-story front room, with board; convenient to Olive, Delmar, Suburban cars. Tel. Forest 3379. (8)

WASHINGTON BL., 4185—Rooms and board for gentlemen; also day board. (6)

WASHINGTON BL., 3702—Handsome second and third-story rooms (front), neatly furnished; excellent table. (1)

WASHINGTON AV., 2928—Board and rooms for ladies or gentlemen; phone; all convs.; reasonable. (6)

WASHINGTON AV., 4028—Single and double rooms; good meals; hot water heat; southern exposure; telephone. (6)

WASHINGTON BL., 4251—Second-story front room, with board; Southern exposure; for one gentleman. Phone Lindell 1531. (7)

WASHINGTON AV., 3422—Desirable front and single rooms, hot bath; home cooking; good service; reasonable. (6)

WASHINGTON BL., 4604—Second-story front rooms, with board; pleasant home; modern conveniences. (89)

WASHINGTON AV., 3031—Neatly furnished front, adjoining hot bath; furnace heat, with board; $5.

WASHINGTON AV., 3969—South room, with board; all conveniences; one block to Olive or Suburban cars. (1)

WASHINGTON AV., 2929—Nicely furnished rooms, with or without board; both phones; steam heat, bath. (3)

WASHINGTON BL., 4301—Large rooms; excellent table; hot-water heat; only gentlemen; Lindell 1730. (6)

WASHINGTON BL., 3815—Rooms and board, $60 to $70 per couple; special rates to gentlemen; hot-water heat; home cooking; phone Lindell 2202. (48)

WEST BELLE PL., 4476—Desirable rooms; southern exposure; hot bath, car convenient; board optional. (7)

WESTMINSTER PL., 4036—One single and one double room, with board. (7)

WESTMINSTER PL., 3941—Beautiful room, with board; single $30, double $20 each; phone Lindell 3292. (3)

WESTMINSTER PL., 3928—Second and third story front rooms, with board; Bell telephone; references exchanged. (7)

WEST PINE BL., 4103—Large front room, excellent table; gentlemen or couple; $20 each. (7)

Plaza Hotel, Couples $40 Month

American plan; side rooms, single gentlemen, $7 week up; two, $5 week each; steam heated; superior table, hot and cold baths; beautiful reception parlors, rotundas; few family suites with bath open; both phones. 3127 Locust. (1)

ROOMMATES WANTED.

ROOMMATE Wtd.—Gentleman roommate for lovely 2d-floor front room; all conveniences; excellent table; $5 per week. Delmar 5302L. 3914 West Belle pl. (6)

Houses, Flats, etc.

DWELLINGS FOR RENT.

A SHORT CUT TO SUCCESS—Try a 3-time ad in Post-Dispatch Wants. Results almost certain for anything. Money refunded on unused insertions. (8)

BELL AV., 3322—6-room house; furnace, bath, $30. John McMenamy Invest. and R. E. Co., 3139 Easton av. (4)

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CLARK AV., 2229—12-room house, with furnace; bath, etc.; can be used by two families; all conveniences. (7)

EASTON AV., 4723—Nice 6-room flat, 2d floor, all conveniences. W. A. Meagher R. E. Co., southeast corner 9th and Chestnut sts. (7)

MADISON ST., 2603-2607—6-room houses; good condition throughout; rent $19. (6)

MONTGOMERY ST., 2520-22—Modern, new 5-room brick dwelling, containing bathroom, etc. Vrooman & Co., 8½ N. 8th st.; Main 596; A232. (8)

PAGE BL., 4114—Nice 6-room house; bath, good furnace, etc.; rent only $35. (6)

SPALDING AV., 4918—Modern 9-room house; all conveniences; large yard; call Sunday (6)

WEBSTER AV., 1512—$14 for half of 7-room cottage; $8 for smaller half; first-class order; hall, gas, bath. (6)

FURNISHED FLATS WANTED.

FURNISHED FLAT Wtd.—Couple desire furnished flat or rooms; on or near Grand av. preferred. Ad. Y 199, Post-Dis. (1)

SUBURBAN PROP'TY FOR RENT

EAST BROADWAY 1715A (East St. Louis)—2 furnished rooms, complete for light housekeeping. (7)

HO[USE]—Elegant new modern 8-room house, at Glendale, next station west of Webster, for rent or sale. Ad. Y 56, Post-Dis. (7)

MINERVA AV., 6156—Three rooms, unfurnished, $9. (7)

MAPLE BL., 7418 (Maplewood)—Modern 7-room brick residence, with granitoid cellar and walks; modern bathroom; furnace, county water, gas, etc; 5c fare. C. W. Barnes, 715 Chestnut st. (7)

NINTH ST., 1104 N. (East St. Louis)—Furnished room, with bath and furnace heat.

FURNISHED FLATS FOR RENT.

FURNISHED FLAT—For sale, comfortably furnished 5-room flat; just the home for young couple; rent reasonable; terms easy; 3 car lines; 20 minutes from postoffice; full particulars phone 1077D or address Y 175, Post-Dispatch. (7)

MAPLE AV., 5915A—Eight-room furnished flat; owner will board. (7)

OLIVE ST., 3834A—Four-room furnished flat; everything complete for housekeeping. (7)

HOUSES, ROOMS, ETC., WTD.

ROOMS Wtd.—Two unfurnished rooms, for Feb. 1, in refined family, for light housekeeping; young couple; no children. Ad. Y 156, Pst-Dispatch. (1)

TO LET—BUSINESS PURPOSES.

DESK ROOM—603 Frisco Bldg. (8)

SPACE—Well-lighted factory floors, 3000 feet; $25. Warren, 200 N. 2d st. (79)

STORE, ETC.—Store and room. Apply 1908 N. 14th st.

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ACADEMY AV., 1354—Three rooms, bath, screens, gas fixtures; all southern exposure; $18. Cornet & Zelbig, 111 N. 7th st. (8)

COOK AV., 4377 AND 4385—First and second floor flats of 3 rooms and bath each; on Delmar car. Henry Hiemenz Realty Co., 614 Chestnut st. (8)

EIGHTEENTH ST., 1434 S.—Beautiful flat, 5 rooms, bath, laundry; $25. Keys at 1810 La Salle st. (7)

FAIRMOUNT AV., 5180A—Six rooms, furnace, bath fixtures. Key at Blake & Bro., 19 N. 7th st. (8)

FARLIN AV., 4469—New three-room flat, first floor; gas grate, fixtures and laundry; $15. (15)

GARFIELD AV. 3740A—Three rooms, $13. N. H. Parker, 709 Pine. Phone Main 4462. (6)

HENRIETTA ST., 3000 TO 3018—New 4 and 5 and 6 room flats, with all modern conveniences. Inquire 3001 Lafayette av. (7)

MARCUS AV., 2708A—Handsome 5-room flat, gas, electric fixtures; bright, convenient; perfect condition. (7)

MONTANA ST., 3422 (near 4100 S. Grand)—Two new flats, 4 rooms, hall and bath each; hot and cold water; $18. (2)

NEWSTEAD AV., 1210 N.—Second floor; 3 rooms, on Delmar car. Henry Hiemenz Realty Co., 614 Chestnut st. (8)

PARNELL ST., 2606 AND 2608—Corner; modern, new 5-room flat; near Warren st.; open. Claude E. Vrooman, 86 N. 8th st. (8)

RUTGER ST., 4537—Four and five room flats, bath, gas; all conveniences; ½ block from Forest Park; convenient to 4 car lines.

ST. LOUIS AV., 5443.—New flats, 3 rooms, $10; water, gas. (2)

SLATTERY AV., 2719—Fine large 3-room flat; first-class condition; good neighborhood; $12. (7)

TAYLOR AV., 3944 N.—Four rooms; upper flat; bath, gas, laundry; $17; open. (1)

TAYLOR AV., 2916A N.—Beautiful flat, 4 rooms and bath, furnished, with gas range, screens, shades, fixtures and furnace. Apply to M. P. Hynson, 929 Chestnut st., until further notice. (8)

TEMPLE PL., 1210—Six rooms, bath, gas fixtures, furnace and screens; keys at 1321 Temple; $32.50. Jos. P. Whyte R. E. Co. (8)

WADE AV., 6423—4-room flats, rent $9 and $10; 4 blocks south of Forest Park. (8)

WILMINGTON PL., 443—New flat; 4 rooms and bath, hot and cold water; separate laundry; Bellefontaine cars. (6)

FOR COLORED PEOPLE.

MINERVA AV., 6156—3 rooms, unfurnished, $9. (7)

FURNISHED HOUSES FOR RENT.

EUCLID AV., 777—Eight rooms, reception hall, furnished complete; possession at once; inquire there; good neighborhood; Olive, Delmar or Suburban cars; only $60. John S. Blake & Bro. Realty Co., 17 and 19 N. 7th st. (7)

For Sale—Wanted

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE.

GO TO the St. Louis Belting and Supply Co. for tents and paulins. 509 S. 4th st. (8)

LAPROBES—For sale, two winter laprobes. 3409 Morgan st. (7)

LOOK PROSPEROUS, save money, wear a diamond and a watch; your credit it good with us. TERMS $1 A[ND $]1 PER WEEK. Wear while you pay. J. F. DAILEY & CO., 6th and Washington, second floor. (8)

LOT—For sale; old frame free with 75 feet high ground; West End. Ad. 1413A Belt.

OFFICE and store fixtures bought and sold. Max Merinbaum, 811 N. 7th st. C2019. (8)

OVERCOATS—For sale, 2 fine overcoats, $8 and $12; also two fine suits clothes, cheap. 2005 Olive st. (8)

POOLTABLE—For sale, pooltable, high-grade, suitable for open game or club. 4012 S. Broadway. (1)

PRIVATE broker has best diamond bargains in city; all sizes. Ad. A 133, P.-D. (7)

TROUBLE doesn't come to the user of a Witte gasoline engine; they are built right and run right. Witte Iron Works, 542 W. 5th st., Kansas City, Mo.

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BEST place for paints, white lead, varnishes. Great Western Paint Co., 814 Manchester av.

BUTCHER BOX—For sale, butcher box, 10x10, used only one year. 1536 Tower Grove av. (7)

CASH REGISTER—For sale, cash register; can be seen at Moor's bar, 9th and Pine. (7)

CASH REGISTERS—The cheapest place to buy 2d-hand cash registers, fully guaranteed, is from the manufacturers; registers purchased and taken in exchange. National Cash Register Co., 310 N. 8th st. (8)

CASH REGISTERS—Why not save money on that cash register you are thinking of buying? You can do it by buying from us; cash or easy monthly payments. American Second-Hand Cash Register Co., 1009 Pine st. (6)

CHAIRS, ETC.—For sale, 100 Vienna bentwood chairs, 20 extension tables, iceboxes, electric fans. 415½ N. Broadway, second floor. (1)

CLOTHING—For sale, several fine dresses, cheap; also elegant cloth coat, jacket or set furs. 2005 Olive st. (8)

COAL—For sale, new Swansea, 10c; Mt. Vernon, 11c; Mt. Olive, 12c, delivered. Skellett Coal Co. Main 907, D3. (8)

COAL—Best grade Mt. Olive, 10c, delivered west of Taylor av.; Kinloch Delmar 912L; Bell Forest 24. (7)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE

CARPETS, ETC.—For sale, carpets, rugs, stoves and ranges; dressers, wardrobes, new or slightly used; cash or time. 3221 Olive. (8)

FURNITURE—For sale, dresser, wardrobe (complete), iron bed, gas stove. Call Sunday afternoon. 910 Hickory st. (7)

FURNITURE—For sale, combination bookcase and desk, oak bedroom suite, wardrobe, sideboard, chairs, etc. 4169A Shenandoah av. (6)

FURNITURE, ETC.—For sale, furniture, carpets, stoves, large stock left from storage; special inducements to dealers and large buyers. Storage House, 2009 Morgan st. (8)

FURNITURE moved or packed for shipment; 900 storage rooms; work guaranteed; see our big stove store, the largest, best and cheapest in St. Louis. New York Storage Co., 22d and Wash sts. (61)

FURNITURE—For sale, a beautiful dining set, china cabinet, handsome odd parlor easy chairs and rockers, also large leather rocker and chairs, library table, bookcases, ladies' mahogany desk, 3 fine brass beds, best mattresses, pillows and bedding, odd dressers and chiffoniers in mahogany, bird'seye maple and oak dressing tables, chiffoniers, mirrors, Wilton and Axminster rugs, large and small lace curtains, pictures, bric-a-brac, other fine furniture, etc., almost new; will sell separately this week at great sacrifice, including my grand piano, bought a few months ago for $500; my furnishings are the very best and must be seen to be appreciated; call day or evening, 3753 Pine st. (6)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale, household goods of four-room flat; must sell account of death; no dealers. 1814 N. Sarah st. (6)

NEW and second-hand ranges, all makes; we connect them; easy payments. 3221 Olive. (8)

RANGE—For sale, Quick Meal range, at a bargain. 3534 Halliday av. (7)

RANGES—For sale, lot of gas and coal ranges; cheap. 3446 Lindell bl. (7)

Western Salvage Co.

We are headquarters for slightly used furniture. We have for sale this week the contents of 10 private dwellings, four handsomely furnished flats, one large retail furniture store that we bought for 50c on the dollar, parlor chairs, divans, rockers, folding beds, brass beds, iron beds, bedroom sets, wardrobes, cane-seated chairs, extension tables, sideboards, couches, linen, blankets, Brussels carpets, room-size Axminster rugs, $10 up; also 6x3 Smyrna rug, $1.50; linoleum, Brussels rugs, 9x12, $5 up, and everything you can think of in furniture and carpet line, at half the cost. 2004 Morgan st. (8)

FURNISHED HOUSES, FLATS.

FURNISHED FLAT—For sale, 5-room furnished flat; reasonable. 5028 Delmar, or telephone Forest 783. (7)

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COLUMN FACING MACHINE.

No 5 Connerville blower, direct connected to Erie engine; one elevator engine, Core trucks; flasks, rails and scale.
DOUBLE "M" INVESTMENT CO.,
Phone Lindell 3419. 3820 Manchester av. (8)

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KITTEN Wtd.—Persian or Angora; good breed and healthy; 2 to 3 months old; preferably dark color. Ad. Y 162, Post-Dis. (7)

AUCTION SALES.

STORE Wtd.—Cash paid for complete jewelry store and stock. L. Blumenkranz & Co., 1602 Market st.

HORSES AND VEHICLES.

PASTURAGE.

PASTURAGE—Wanted, your horse to board for winter; large farm; good treatment; terms reasonable. Phone Main 296 during business hours. (7)

WANTED.

HORSE Wtd.—To work three alternate days week for its keeping; must be sound and in good condition. Bell Lindell 368.

FOR SALE.

ALWAYS ON HAND—From 75 to 100 head of mules, draft, driving and general purpose horses, wagons of all kinds, buggies and harness; you can try horses before buying; must be as represented; cash or easy payments. E. L. House, 1515 N. Broadway and 4472 Clayton av. (8)

BUGGY—For sale, brandnew rubber-tired storm buggy, high panel and dash, reasonable. 1371 Blackstone av., or call Forest 2168.

HARNESS—For sale, two sets rubber-mounted buggy harness, $15. 1371 Blackstone av., or call Forest 2168.

HORSES—For sale, one pair young gray horses. 1432 N. Garrison. (1)

HORSE—For sale, good, allround horse, very cheap; call Sunday. 5332 Wells av.

HORSES, ETC.—For sale, 8 horses, 4 stake wagons, one buggy harness and hauling. 1436 Blair av. (3)

HORSES, ETC.—For sale, cheap, five horses and mule; also dirt wagons. 516 Walnut st., second floor. (6)

HORSES, ETC.—Five horses for sale, $20 up; dirt wagon and harness, peddler wagon, harness; selling out. 1526 Wash st.

HORSE, ETC.—For sale, horse, harness and storm buggy, suitable for drummer; price $150 if sold at once. Call 5368 Bartmer.

HORSE, ETC.—For sale, stout bay horse and buggy, at 12th and Monroe sts.; residence, 4144 Ashland av.

HORSES—For sale, snowy-gaited saddle horse, first-class road horse; good horse suitable for delivery work; all of above will be sold right. Call private stable, 1620 Morgan. (8)

MARE—For sale, beautiful sorrel combination mare, 4 years old, 14½ hands; perfectly sound; cheap. 4008A Flad av. (1)

PONY, ETC.—For sale, young pony, buggy and harness, 65, complete. 6902 Pernod av., Lindenwood.

PONY, ETC.—For sale, pony, runabout, rubber tired, good as new; very cheap. 2863 Gravois av. J. Moll. Bell phone Sidney 1275. (8)

TEAM—For sale, good, large team, cheap; $125. Kitchel Coal Co., Maplewood, Mo. (6)

WAGON—For sale, bakery wagon, like new; cheap. 2730 Franklin av.

WAGON—For sale, coal wagon, good repair, new bed, $20. 1357 Burd av. (7)

WAGONS, ETC.—For sale, storm buggies, grocer, baker, butcher, laundry, milk, peddler, tailor, plumber, carpenter, painters', express, caterer, advertising, coffee and tea wagons. John Tobinka, 1406 N. 7th st. (8)

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BIG bargain, 2-cylinder touring car, 5 passenger; new tires; price $350. If you intend buying a 1906 auto, see us about our special offer. Union Auto Co., 1601 Olive st. (8)

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PATENTS obtained by Edward W. Furrell, patent attorney and practical draftsman, 1328 Chemical Bldg. (8)

PATENTS and new inventions bought and sold; call and see us before buying. Lucas & Co., 620 Chestnut st., St. Louis. (98)

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BOOKS bought, sold or exchanged; catalogue free. Linahan Book Co., 321 Market st. (8)

BOOKS of all kinds bought and sold; call or send address to Mills' Book Store, 607 Chestnut st. (8)

OLD books; send for catalogue. A. J. Crawford. Old Book Store, 4th and Chestnut. (8)

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SODA FOUNTAIN—For sale, fine counter-draft soda fountain outfit, everything complete and good as new; cost $100; if taken now can be bought for $25; this is a genuine snap for anyone going into the ice cream business next summer; also fine 4-ft. showcase for candy or cigars. 2922 Lawton av.

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SAFE—For sale, good fire-proof safe, 26x41 inches. 404 N. 6th st. (6)

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ABSOLUTELY best prices paid for household goods, contents houses, flats and stores. Dickson, 2944 Washington. B1369, Beaumont 43. (8)

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BEST PRICES paid for your household goods. Prosser, 3221 Olive st.; D1027, Beaumont 807. (8)

SPOT cash for household goods, office furniture and merchandise; auction sales made at residences and stores our specialty. Western Salvage and Auction Co., 2004 Morgan. Tel. Beaumont 399 and D231. (8)

WANTED—We pay highest prices for household furniture, stocks in store; also entire contents of flats and residences; don't sell until you see us and send postal. Leonori Auction Co., 1219 Olive st. (8)

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FOR bargains in all typewriters, address THE TYPEWRITER EXCHANGE, 208 N. 9th st., St. Louis, Mo. (8)

DIAMONDS, WATCHES, JEWELRY, ETC.

LOOK PROSPEROUS, save money, wear a diamond and a watch; your credit it good with us. TERMS $1 AND $1 PER WEEK. Wear while you pay. J. F. DAILEY & CO., 6th and Washington, second floor. (8)

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LUMBER, all lengths and sizes doors windows, skylight glass, electric motors, 110-volt arc lamps, switches, wire, iron pipe and all kinds of supplies from World's Fair; delivered anywhere. Louisiana Contracting Co., 3815 Manchester av. (8)

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DOES YOUR ROOF LEAK?—Mastic Roofing never needs painting or coating; it's laid on to stay; long term guaranteed; used by U. S. Government; money can't buy better for new building or for covering over old shingles, tin, gravel, etc.; Mastic roof paint and cement will help some old roofs. Call on or telephone to Darlington Lumber Co., city sales agent, 3900 Chouteau av, and 2301 N. 9th st., or write us for prices, samples and references. We want local representatives everywhere. National Mastic Roofing Co., Edwardsville, Ill. (8)

ROOF REPAIRS our specialty. Excelsior Roofing Co., 1309 N. Grand av. Delmar 285, Lindell 1427. (8)

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS.

ALL ladies and gents sell old clothes to Gilbert; suits, overcoats, $2 to $5; trousers, 75c up; feathers, 40c. D1333, Main 4812; postal. 1419 Carr st. (8)

AMERICAN METAL SPINNING CO., 413 S. 2d st.—Work for the trade; special prices; work guaranteed. (8)

COINS, unused postage stamps, old guns and weapons wanted; foreign money exchanged. St. Louis Stamp and Coin Co., 115 N. 11th st. (8)

DESK Wtd.—Roll-top desk; new or second-hand; must be cheap. Ad. Y 136, P.-D.

DIAMOND Wtd.—¾ to 1-karat; must be cheap for cash; state price. Ad. Y 64, P.-D. (7)

JACKET Wtd.—To buy, a mink jacket; size 36 to 40. Ad. W 176, Post-Dispatch. (6)

NICKEL PLATING

Also gold, silver, brass and copper plating; repairing, oxidizing and lacquering at reasonable rates. DEGGE & MUSICK, 717-719 Market st. (69)

SEWING MACHINES.

ALL makes sewing machines, cheap; repairing at your home. Davis Co., 1233 Market st.; Kinloch C89. (8)

ALL makes of sewing machines, $3 to $20; guaranteed; repairs at your home, $1; needles and parts. D. G. Sheridan, 816 N. 6th st. (8)

ALL makes of sewing machines sold at cut prices this week; you can save $10 to $15 by telephoning or calling; drophead Singer, slightly used, $15; machines rented; all makes repaired for $1; all guaranteed. New Home Sewing Machine Parlors, 1208 Franklin av.; Kinloch D972, Main 2778. (6)

BUY the ball-bearing New Home; cash or time. 1208 Franklin; Kin. D972, Main 2778. (6)

GREATEST bargains ever offered; 50 new drophead machines; only $11.50; guaranteed; New Home Sewing Machine Parlors, 1208 Franklin av.; Kin. D972; Main 2778. (6)

HE ADJUSTS all makes of sewing machines free for January only. S. W. Albright, 1011 Franklin; phone Bell Olive 791. (6)

SECOND-HAND sewing machine; fine golden oak Singer; 1-3 value. Bright, 1310 S. Broadway. (67)

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Business Chances

BUSINESS CHANCE—An exceptional money making opportunity for man with little ready money and business ability; will soon make you independent; some traveling required. Ad. Y 17, Post-Dispatch. (7)

BUSINESS CHANCE—Wanted, refined lady of ability with some money to invest with responsible people and to assume active charge of sanitarium building; best of references required; no others need apply. Ad. Y 174, Post-Dispatch. (7)

BUSINESS CHANCE—An opportunity of a lifetime for man with small capital to get full partnership in the patent and marketing of a splendid new article of general use; no agents; letters under "splendid novelty." Ad. Y 147, Post-Dispatch. (7)

A SHORT CUT TO SUCCESS—Try a 3-time ad in Post-Dispatch Wants. Results almost certain for anything. Money refunded on unused insertions. (8)

ATTENTION, BAKERS—Did you ever see a brick bake oven that can be moved? On exhibition at Middleby Oven Mfg. Co., 216 Walnut st., St. Louis, Mo. (8)

NEWSPAPER—For sale, controlling interest in Democratic daily and weekly newspaper in Missouri city of 9000; county seat; city and county Democratic; bargain for the right party; terms very reasonable. Ad. A 145, Post-Dispatch. (7)

STOCK companies incorporated; if you have stocks or bonds for sale, offer them through me to investors. George M. Kellogg, broker, 245 Ellicott Square, Buffalo, N. Y. (6)

WE have a rare opportunity in a manufacturing proposition if taken at once. Ad. W 191, Post-Dispatch. (7)

BUSINESS WANTED.

BARBER SHOP Wtd.—To buy a barber shop, with two or three chairs, in a good town in Illinois or Indiana. Ad. Y 57, P.-D. (7)

BUSINESS Wtd.—$200 to invest in business. What have you? Ad. Y 161, Post-Dis. (7)

BUSINESS Wtd.—To buy, confectionery, cigar and ice cream parlor; not over $1200 cash; give full particulars in first letter. Ad. P 53, Post-Dispatch. (4)

CLOTHING STOCK Wtd.—Have 10 improved farms worth $2000 to $10,000 each; will exchange choice at cash value; clear; describe fully. Box 87, Rogers, Ark. (7)

COAL—Best family, 10½c; Mount Olive, 12c; delivered. Wm. Kuehl, 1308 N. Jefferson; Kinloch B630 (8)

CONFECTIONERY, ETC., Wtd.—Confectionery, cigar and ice cream parlor, not over $1200. Ad. Y 98, Post-Dispatch. (7)

BUSINESS FOR SALE.

A SHORT CUT TO SUCCESS—Try a 3-time ad in Post-Dispatch Wants. Results almost certain for anything. Money refunded on unused insertions. (8)

BARBER SHOP—For sale, 3 chairs, laundry, cigars; West End; other business. Ad. Y 139, Post-Dispatch. (15)

BOARDING HOUSE—For sale, boarding house; snap; parties leaving city; house filled with boarders. Call 4135 Delmar bl. (7)

BOARDING HOUSE—For sale, 9-room boarding house, with 6 good paying boarders; will sell very reasonable on account of party leaving city; rent $30; call at once.

BUSINESS—For sale, confectionery and stationery store. 2328 Menard. (7)

BUTCHER SHOP—For sale, butcher shop; cheap; 1827 Park av. Call at dry goods store, 1903 Park av. (6)

CANDY, ETC.—For sale, in busy West End location, candy, ice cream, soda, lunches. 3923 Olive st. (1)

CIGAR STORE, ETC.—For sale, cigar and tobacco store, combined with the manufacturing of fine cigarettes; new method; no competition; clear $100 weekly and more; 400 per cent profit; best opportunity for man going into business; reason for selling, am going to Chicago to open a similar business; price $500. Call 1505 Market st. (7)

CONFECTIONERY—For sale, small store; good moneymaker; 3 living rooms; rent $12.50; leaving town; bargain for you. 2802 Chouteau av. (6)

GROCERY—For sale, grocery; good location; will sell cheap. Ad. Y 68, Post-Dis. (7)

GROCERY—For sale, grocery; new and up to date; will sacrifice cheap. 906 N. 22d st.

GROCERY—For sale, splendid $7000 stock of groceries for $3500 cash if sold quick; big bargain. Ad. Y 7, Post-Dis. (6)

GROCERY—For sale, grocery and saloon; swell place; stock reduced; will invoice; 5 per cent off for cash. Ad. R 163, P.-D. (3)

GROCERY, ETC.—For sale, grocery and market; $275 buys fixtures, stock and all, if sold at once; butcher box alone worth the money; full stock of groceries; take Maplewood car. Apply 2425 Ecoff av. (7)

HOTEL—$1100 cash will handle 50-room, $2-per-day hotel, in county seat town of Central Missouri. Ad. Box 196, Sedalia, Mo. (7)

IF YOU must sacrifice your business, we can sell it for you. MISSOURI REALTY CO., 110 N. 9th st. (6)

MEAT MARKET—For sale, meat market; sales $40; horse and wagon; price $600. Ad. Y 187, Post-Dispatch. (7)

POOLROOM—Four Brunswick tables; will sell very reasonable. 1110 S. 4th st. (7)

RESTAURANT—For sale; daily receipts $12 to $15; $115. 1224 N. 3d st. (1)

ROO[MING H]OUSE—Six rooms, $125, if sold at once. Call at 1415 Bremen av. (7)

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, 101 N. Channing av., corner; 15 rooms; nicely furnished; quick sales, $300; rent $40. (7)

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, rooming house; 14 rooms, all filled; must be sold by 20th. Ad. Y 32, Post-Dispatch. (7)

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, 10 rooms furnished completely; must sell on account of other business; $375 cash or terms. 1601 Olive st. (7)

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, at bargain, newly-built, newly-furnished modern 12-room rooming house, filled with paying roomers; located in heart of Hot Springs; price $1800 cash. Ad. T. W., 130 Chapel st., Hot Springs, Ark. (2)

Business Cards

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

ELECTRICAL—Everything electrical; motors, wiring, fixtures, etc.; see us about your electrical work. W. F. Ghiselin & Co., 821 Chestnut st. Kinloch B1837. (8)

ELECTROTYPING, ETC.

ST. LOUIS ELECTROTYPING F'DY, 214 Pine st., Electrotypers, Stereotypers, etc. (8)

PHOTOGRAPH STUDIOS.

A LARGE picture, 16x20, with each dozen photos. When Studio, 1631 Franklin. Telephone C917. (8)

WALLPAPER, CLEANING, ETC.

GENERAL Compressed Air Housecleaning Co., 4436-38 Olive st.; 3 phones; best service. (8)

STORAGE AND MOVING.

ABSOLUTELY FIREPROOF STORAGE—New warehouses, Grand and Laclede, for safekeeping furniture, pianos, valuable trunks, boxes, etc.; first-class moving, packing, shipping, etc.; consign goods to our care; money advanced; get our rates; both telephones. R. U. LEONORI AUCTION & STORAGE CO., 1219-21 Olive st. (8)

AMERICAN STORAGE AND MOVING CO., 2315 Olive st.; moving, packing, shipping, storing; separate rooms; both phones. W. H. Langsdale, president (8)

BONDED WAREHOUSES—Henry C. Wiebe Furniture and Storage Co., 1512-1516 Franklin av.; money advanced when desired. Kinloch C963. (8)

BONDED WAREHOUSE—Stoecker & Price Storage and Moving Co., 2009 Morgan st.; furniture taken in exchange for moving. Phones Beaumont 685A and D2071. (8)

SOUTH SIDE STORAGE AND MOVING CO., 1901-1903 Sidney; tel. Sidney 235; Kin., Victor 607. (8)

STEAM CARPET-CLEANING.

CHICAGO Steam Carpet Cleaning Co.—Carpets renovated to look like new; also upholstering. Tel. Lindell 2030; Kinloch Delmar 2451. 3829 Finney av (8)

ECONOMY RUG CO., 3562 Olive st.; phone Lindell 628, Kinloch 2043D. Carpet cleaners, rugmakers; Oriental rugs cleaned by expert help. (8)

EMPIRE Steam Carpet Cleaning Co.—Carpets taken up, cleaned, made over and laid; lowest prices. 2123 Lucas av.; Beaumont 220, Kinloch C966. (8)

GLOBE Steam Carpet Cleaning and Renovating Co.—Wallpaper, upholstering, mattress; best work, lowest prices. 2625 Olive st., Kinloch D105. Bell Beaumont 852. (8)

COMPRESSED AIRCLEANING

Carpets and everything cleaned at home or at our plant; both phones. General Compressed Air Housecleaning Co. 4436-38 Olive st. (8)

Professional

ATTORNEYS AT LAW.

ALL legal matters faithfully attended to; advice given free. 1023 Chestnut st. (8)

CENTRAL LAW BUREAU, 613 Pine st., 2d floor, conducts a general law business; damage suits and other litigation solicited; advice free. (8)

DETECTIVES—Experts (both sexes), shadowing, investigating anywhere. Merchants' Secret Service, 708½ Pine, De Soto Bldg. (7)

INSTRUCTION.

SHORTHAND and touch typewriting, 25c a private lesson, by lady formerly teacher in a business college. Call or write 1245 N. Euclid av. (1)

SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES.

COLUMBIA COMMERCIAL COLLEGE, n. e. corner 9th and Locust, entrance 410 N. 9th; day and night school; bookkeeping, shorthand, English, Spanish, etc.; 1906 catalogue free. Call, write or phone, Bell Main 3817. (8)

LEARN paper hanging, painting, decorating; great demand for graduates; $4 to $6 per day. Ad. Practical School of Paper Hanging, Painting and Decorating, 3636 Finney av., St. Louis, Mo. (22x)

THEATRICAL.

A FULL line of costumes, wigs, beards, tights, greasepaints, at Fuerger's, 521 Walnut. (8)

HARRY MAYER, baritone, strong musical act, open to all engagements. 1407 North Market st. (7)

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CONSUMPTION, hemorrhages, etc., successfully treated; trial treatment given absolutely free. Ad. C 39, Post-Dispatch. (7)

IF YOU want special treatment for blood, skin and other troubles, call on Dr. Jos. W. Allen, 1214 Franklin av. (8)

PRIVATE diseases quickly cured; manhood restored with Oka's $4 vacuum appliance and lotion; guaranteed; trial free. Room 1, 107A N. 9th st. (16)

DANCING.

ATTEND $5 prize waltz every Tuesday evening Central Dancing Academy, 3300 Easton av. (1)

ATTEND Prof. and Mrs. Behensky's receptions every Saturday and Sunday evening; best orchestra. Academy, 1302 Olive st. (98)

ATTEND Prof. Erne McMullen's parties at Social Turner Hall, 13th and Monroe every Wednesday evening; prize masquerade Wednesday evening, Jan. 17; 12 prizes. (8)

NATIONAL Dancing Academy, 1302 Olive st.; Prof. and Mrs. Behensky guarantee waltz, two-step, schottische, lanciers, waltz-lanciers and grand-square for $3; single lessons given; class every evening; private lessons from 10 a. m. to 8 p. m. STAGE DANCING, Spanish, skirt, serpentine, clog, buck and wing, song and dance, etc. (8)

DANCING—Attend Prof. Schulte's grand opening reception Sunday night, Jan. 14, at Fisher's Hall, Coleman and North Market. (6)

WESTMINSTER HALL,
3806 Olive; attend Prof. Clark's select receptions every Thursday; lessons every Monday evening; five assistant teachers. Phone Delmar 2915L. Bell Lindell 2519. (8)

MME. BRANCH'S classes open for new beginners Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays; guaranteed waltz, two-step, schottische, lanciers, waltz-lanciers and grand square for $3; private lessons every afternoon; receptions Tuesdays, Thursdays, Saturday and Sunday evenings. Central Dancing Academy, 3300 Easton av. (1)

SELECT parties at Uhrig's Cave Hall, Washington and Jefferson avs., every Wednesday and Saturday evenings, Sunday afternoon and evening. Classes Tuesday and Friday evenings Harmonie Hall, 18th and Olive; parties Thursday, Saturday and Sunday evenings. Lessons Monday evening. Eclipse Dancing Academy. Ahern and Albers. (8)

THE dancing and gymnasium department of the Muegge Institute, corner Grand av. and Hickory st., for ladies, gentlemen and children, is now open. The finest physical culture institute in the West. Send for catalogue. (16)

DRESSMAKING AND MILLINERY.

SEAMSTRESS wants plain sewing in families; $1.25 day. Ad. Y 42, Post-Dis.

SEAMSTRESS wishes a few more engagements in families by the day. Call 2700 Washington av.

Personal

PERSONAL—M. E. Bell: Call at once. Same address Jan. 15, 2 p. m.

PERSONAL—3 fingers: Will try and meet you 1 at H. S., 5:30 to 6. Eye.

MATRIMONIAL.

MATRIMONY—Wanted, an educated woman correspondent; one not afraid of automobile or farm; object matrimony. Ad. J. 30, Post-Dispatch. (7)

ADOPTION.

ADOPTION—Beautiful baby for adoption, free. 1437 N. 19th st. Bell phone Tyler 726. Mrs. Fox.

PERSONAL SUNDRIES.

A DETECTIVE (private) does shadowing and investigating; references. P. O. box 770, St. Louis. (8)

DOCTOR DENNIS,

Regular licensed physician, successfully treats all female troubles; the largest and most reliable sanitarium for confinement in this city; perfect seclusion and kind treatment; trained nurses; adoption if desired; lowest terms; 23 years' experience. 2639 Washington av. (6)

DR. HOGAN, 2215 OLIVE.

Medical and surgical diseases of women a specialty. Regularly licensed.
Patients received at any time before and during confinement; adoption if desired; trained nurses; home comforts; ladies, call or write; confidential; terms reasonable. St. Louis. (8)

HEALTH restored without drugs; trial treatment free. Cellopathic Health Institute, 810 Olive st., Suite 509. (1)

LADIES—Our remedies are guaranteed; $2 a box. Dr. Ward & Co., 2902 Washington. (8)

LADIES—Call and see me; one complete treatment free. Mrs. E. Starr, 2929 Franklin. (8)

LADIES—Use my reliable remedies; they never fail. Dr. Demmler, female specialist, 1525 Olive st. (4)

MRS. PAULINE KAHN, 3117A Nebraska av., confinements $5; work part pay; licensed physician; private sanitarium during confinement; adoption; call or write. (8)

LADIES, call and see me. You will not regret your interview; consultation and examination; my remedy free. 2018 Olive st. (8)

LADIES—Save time and money by calling at 2929 Franklin av.; hours 9 to 12 a. m. (8)

Mmes. Warrance and Grayme,

Receives confinements; adoption; consultation free; save time and money; call or write. 2901 Franklin av. (6)

MRS. BRIDGES, licensed lady doctor; hours, 12 to 4, except Saturday and Sunday. 3305 Laclede; Bell Lindell 95. (8)

MRS. DR. SMITH 3043 EASTON.

Absolute seclusion before and during confinement; terms reasonable; part pay in work. Call or write. (8)

Mrs. Anna Newland, 2321 Olive St.

PHYSICIAN AND NURSES.
Secluded home for ladies before and during confinement; kind, motherly care; adoption if desired, free; satisfaction guaranteed; ladies won't regret calling; charges reasonable; confidential. Call or write. (8)

MRS. M. DIEHL, 2812 Morgan st.; confinements, $5; work part pay; licensed physicians; adoption. Telephone 2080D. (8)

Mrs. Mary Arthur, 2631 Washington

PHYSICIAN AND NURSES.
Home for ladies during confinement; excellent nursing; adoption free; patients met at station; part pay in work. Office hours, from 12 to 4, except Sunday. (8)

MRS. M. HARRISON.

Calls, also receives confinements; adoption free; motherly care. Try my remedy free. 2809 Wash st. (8)

Mrs. Warance, 2108 Olive.

Receives confinements; adoption; part pay in work; ladies save time; confidential. (6)

MRS. L. HOTSON

2201 Olive st.; only reliable lying-in institute in the city; perfect seclusion; registered physician in attendance; excellent nursing; motherly care and home comforts; adoption if desired; charges reasonable; if dissatisfied elsewhere, go to the oldest and most reliable institution in the city, where you will be treated properly; ladies call or write. (6)

MRS. MARY MURPHY,

Midwife and regular physician and graduated nurse in attendance; best of medical care given in all cases; largest and only up-to-date home; elegant parlors for patients' exclusive use; receives before confinement, $8; adoption free; consultation and examination; patients met at Station and got safely; part pay in work if desired; written guarantee. Call or write. Bell and Kinloch phones. 2018 Olive. (8)

MRS. M. MEYERS, 112 S. 14th st., receives confinements in the house; strictly confidential; no medicine; call or write. Telephone C259. (8)

MRS. A. SCHROEDER receives confinements; ladies call. 2907 Franklin; licensed. (8)

SOUTH SIDE SANITARIUM

Confinement, adoption, all female troubles treated; private home comforts; trained nurses; elegant accommodations; 20 years' experience. Take Tower Grove or Compton cars. Phone Sidney 187. 2816 Accomac st. (8)

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

SPECIAL NOTICE—I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife. T. H. GARNEY. (7)

THIRTY drops of Kring's Anti-Rheuma in hot water every hour relieves the most excruciating inflammatory rheumatism in 10 hours. A specific in chronic rheumatism in 30-drop doses, three times a day. Price 55c by mail. Kring's Pharmacy, 2735 S. Broadway, St. Louis, Mo. (8)

CLAIRVOYANTS.

PROF. KHIRON, 3509 OLIVE ST.
50c—TWO-DOLLAR READING—50c.
Tells your name, whom and when you will marry, unites separated, causes speedy marriage, removes evil influences; bring this advertisement. (7)

SEE Mme. Le Normand, 3800 Olive st., the wonderful future revealer and powerful adviser; astrology, palmistry, card reading; success guaranteed. (7)

Financial

MONEY WANTED.

MONEY Wtd.—Who advances money on valuable patents? Ad. Y 44, Post-Dispatch. (7)

MONEY Wtd.—To borrow money per annum; pay reasonable price; no commission. 3107 S. Broadway. (7)

MONEY Wtd.—$200 on furniture, books, etc., for six months; 8 per cent interest; no commission. Ad. Y 160, Post-Dispatch. (7)

LOANS ON PERSONAL PROP'TY.

W. S. PRICE
WILL GET YOU
$100.00 FOR $4.00 A YEAR.
$75.00 FOR $3.00 A YEAR.
$50.00 FOR $2.00 A YEAR.
$25.00 FOR $1.00 A YEAR.
On furniture, pianos, horses, wagons, etc. 615 Mermod & Jaccard Bldg. Phone D1846. (8)

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Teamsters, boarding-house keepers, without security; easy terms; largest business in 50 principal cities. Tolman, 501 Houser Bldg., 500 Chestnut st. (8)

Lowest Rates in America on **SALARY, FUR**niture, pianos, etc. Confidential. TRUST YOU CO., 810 Olive, Room 508. Phone A1731. (8)

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ON ANYTHING, ANYWHERE AND ANY TIME and to any respectable person. Furniture, pianos, horses and anything else of value taken as security. Loans may be repaid weekly, monthly or yearly. No inquiries are made that embarrass your social standing or impair your credit. Papers may be signed at your home or my private office and ARE NOT RECORDED. If you want LEGITIMATE and CONFIDENTIAL transactions and liberal terms, call, write or telephone and I can make loan immediately.
E. C. WOODS, 222 Lucas Bldg., 506 Olive. BELL MAIN 3069. KINLOCH B558. (8)

DRAKE'S EASY MONEY

Advanced salaried people without security; my rates the lowest, best and most private in the city. Call at 322-3-4 Chemical Bldg. (8)

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On furniture, pianos and other security. Lowest rate. Most favorable terms in the city. See others, then SEE ME and BE CONVINCED.
I will SAVE YOU MONEY.
$1.00 weekly repays $25 loan and costs.
$1.50 weekly repays $50 loan and costs.
GEORGE W. MILER,
Room 37 De Menil Bldg., 119 N. 7th st. Call up Kinloch B1270. (88)

MONEY loaned on life insurance and indorsements, very low rates. 302 Equitable Bldg. (8)

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Without security; easy payments.
SECURITY FINANCE CO., 3d floor, Equitable Bldg. (8)

Musical

BALDWIN pianos, standard of the world; grand prix Paris, 1900; two grand prizes St. Louis, 1904; send for catalogue, "Arts and Crafts." D. H. BALDWIN & CO., 1000 Olive st. (6)

CASH paid for cornets, baritone, tuba, clarinets, bass violin, etc. TONY PLACHT, 1002 Olive st. (4)

DECKER BROS., fine tone, perfect order, $75. KLEEKAMP BROS., 2307 Park av. (6)

PIANO—For sale, a handsome upright piano, mahogany case; used few months; cost $400; will sell less half cost. 3615 Laclede. (8)

PIANO—Will sell my almost new upright piano at your own price for cash; standard make; latest style. 2302 S. Jefferson av. (6)

PIANO—For sale, slightly used mahogany-case upright piano, for $125; cost $350. 3109 S. Jefferson av. (6)

PIANO—For sale, Everett upright piano; little used; in good condition. Fidelity Storage, Packing and Moving Co., 1005 Pine st. (6)

PIANO—For sale, $25 buys nice piano, good for beginners; stool and scarf and delivered. 1414 N. 16th st. (6)

PIANO—For sale, magnificent upright piano; fine mahogany case; used 4 months; one-third original cost. 3962 Botanical av.; take Park or Compton car. (6)

PIANO—For sale, Gabler upright piano, mahogany case; little used; in perfect condition. Fidelity Storage, Packing and Moving Co., 1725 Morgan st. (6)

PIANO, ETC.—For sale, any fine upright piano, mahogany case; bought few months ago for $500; will sell at a sacrifice this week; private family declining housekeeping; other furniture cheap; call day or evening. 3753 West Pine bl. (6)

SCHUBERT & MOXTER, 2602 Franklin; first-class piano tuning and repairing; both phones. (8)

VOCAL and piano lessons from conservatory teachers, 50c; references; voices tried free. 3416 Bell av. (4)

D. H. BALDWIN & CO., 1000 OLIVE ST., Manufacturers pianos, piano players and organs; new pianos, $158 up. (6)

WE ARE offering exceptional bargains in discontinued styles this week; new pianos, fully guaranteed; $250, $300 and $350 values, for $158, $208 and $258; the Baldwin plan makes piano buying easy. D. H. BALDWIN & CO., Manufacturers, 1000 Olive st. (6)

YOU get greater value for your money when you buy your piano from the manufacturer; easy payments. D. H. BALDWIN & CO., 1000 Olive st. (6)

$165 BUYS fine upright piano, with stool and scarf. SCHUBERT & MOXTER, 2602 Franklin av. (6)

Real Estate

PROP'TY OUT OF CITY FOR SALE.

PROPERTY—St. Louis County, from 1 to 200 acres. B. C. Stevens, Clayton, Mo. (8)

REAL ESTATE WANTED.

HOUSE Wtd.—To rent or purchase, a house of 20 rooms, well located, near St. Louis, for summer rest for business woman. Ad. Y 173, Post-Dispatch. (7)

FARMS FOR SALE

FARM—For sale, 120-acre farm, 25 miles of city, on Rock rd.; good house and outbuildings. Ad. Y 15, Post-Dispatch. (7)

RANCH—For sale, well-improved ranch, North Texas; 6000 acres, 10 per cent in cultivation; all good land. For particulars ad. Y 144, Post-Dispatch. (7)

FARM—For sale, 20-acre place; good 2-room house; on public road, etc., 3 miles to town; price $800; terms $300 down, balance $10 per month; if interested in a small farm send for my list; 5 to 40 acres on payments. A. S. Osborn, Mt. Vernon, Ill. (6)

FARM—For sale; $35 cash, $10 monthly buys 40-acre chicken farm in the Ozarks; house, garden, stable, poultry house, soft water, productive soil, timber; church, railroad, school convenient; write or see owner. Elizabeth Boran, 1112 Chouteau av., St. Louis; large farms cheap. (82)

SUBURBAN PROP'TY FOR SALE.

HOUSES—For sale, suburban houses and lots a specialty. Al. T. Smith, Old Orchard, Mo. (8)

LOT—For sale, cheap; 25x115 feet in Fairmount Park, St. Louis County. Ad. Y 36, Post-Dispatch. (1)

TO LET—BUSINESS PURPOSES.

3639 EASTON AVENUE

Large, light store; fine location for baker or confectioner; low rent. NICHOLLS-RITTER, 713 Chestnut st. (7)

FLATS FOR RENT.

3639A EASTON AVENUE

Choice 7-room flat; all conveniences; rent $27.50 per month. NICHOLLS-RITTER, 713 Chestnut st. (7)

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Sunday Post-Dispatch

This article may be the means of saving your life. It may prove of more value to you than an accident insurance policy for a million dollars.

The Hunted Man of Death Valley

Is a startling account of the dangers constantly surrounding the most picturesque of modern miners.

Lincoln Steffens

Who wrote "The Shame of Cities," begins in the next Sunday Post-Dispatch a series of articles based on the query he has put to Senators and Representatives in Congress, a question pertinent to the known corruption in the Nation's capital:

"Is 'Our' Government Ours"?

Begin this series next Sunday and keep abreast of the times.

The Curious Love Affair of a Boy.

An office boy at that, who placed his affections in the keeping of a woman and suffered unusually for his trust in her. It is a moving, funny, pathetic romance.

Western Women in Arts and Crafts.

Here's a new line for the new woman, who is ever doing something different. Read what she is up to now.

Over the Rockies Into the Missouri for Gold.

The argonauts are coming East. Isn't that a reversal of history? They are scooping up Missouri River mud and make it pay in bright, yellow nuggets. That's the sort of story to enliven you.

In fact, there are dozens of blood-warming tales from the news in

Tomorrow's Sunday Post-Dispatch

SAID THEIR "DOPE" COULD RAISE DEAD

But Officials of the "Force of Life" Co. Couldn't Escape Arrest.

CHARGED WITH FRAUD

Prominent New York Politicians Involved in Queer Chemical Concern.

CLAIM MILLION PATRONS

Roosevelt Ordered Federal Action When Missouri Woman Complained.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Gen. James R. O'Beirne, for years more or less prominent in Republican politics in this city and who has held a number of offices under the Federal Government, is listed as president in the literature of the Force of Life Chemical Co. Dr. Morris Hadley, the medical director of the company, and Mrs. Laura M. Wilson, assistant medical director, were arrested yesterday by Federal authorities and held in $2500 bail each for examination a week from today on a charge of conspiracy to obtain money under false pretenses by the use of the United States mails.

Powers of raising the dead, claimed by Dr. Hadley, first challenged the attention of the authorities a little over a year ago, when Secretary Cortelyou received a letter from President Roosevelt inclosing one of the Force of Life Co.'s circulars, which had been sent to President Roosevelt by a woman in Springfield, Mo. Accompanying the circular was an unsigned letter from the woman, who asked the President to stop such "irreverence as would take the gold-framed diamonds of Heaven to decorate the halls of hell."

The company's advertisements announce the discovery and production of a chemical called "Lecithin," and its manufacturers claim for it not only the power to raise the dead, but declare that by its use humanity can escape death altogether.

Politicians Involved.

There are a number of prominent New York State politicians connected with the concern, and for nearly a year efforts have been made to bag the whole crowd. It is declared, however, that several of them have left the city.

Gen. O'Beirne has been a special agent of the Treasury Department, Assistant Commissioner of Immigration in the Port of New York and a Commissioner of Charities in this city. He became president of the chemical concern in September last, when R. Virgil Neal, its alleged organizer and first president, resigned.

Gen. O'Beirne was seen following the arrests, but his counsel refused to allow him to be interviewed.

A Million Patrons.

The chemical company for the last three or four years has maintained elaborate offices in this city. At present the company is located at 2255 Broadway. It has done an extensive mail business. An official of the company told the postal authorities that the concern had not less than 1,000,000 patrons. The investigation has been managed jointly by the postoffice authorities, Assistant United States District Attorney Clarence S. Houghton, Champe S. Andrews and John S. Cooper, the two latter as counsel for the New York County Medical Society.

Two weeks ago there is said to have been a migration of the most prominent "force of lifers" to Syracuse, N. Y.

When the two prisoners were arraigned before Commissioner Ridgway, Attorney John J. Vause appeared as their counsel and furnished bonds.

In addition to President James R. O'Beirne, the literature issued by the company and the latest corporation directory give the following as officers of the company: James A. Tedford, vice-president; Arthur H. Williams, treasurer; Frederick H. Wilson, secretary.

Directors Prominent.

The directors are, besides the above: Edwin O. Keeler, William F. Acton, A. Virgil Neal, R. T. Badgley and James F. Pierce. Mr. Pierce was formerly superintendent of insurance of New York State.

E. Virgil Neal, with Dr. Hadley, Williams and Mrs. Wilson, it is alleged, furnished the real brains of the concern.

Arthur H. Williams, treasurer of the company and one of its directors, is president of the Bankers' Realty and Security Co., a trustee of the Washington Savings Bank and a director of the Co-operative Building Bank in this city. He lives in Mount Vernon. Frederick H. Wilson is superintendent of the United States Indian warehouse in this city. Mr. Keeler is said to be president of the Fairfield County National Bank, vice-president of the Fourth Norwalk Trust Co. and former Lieutenant-Governor of the State of Connecticut.

HAD TO SLEEP ON TABLE.

Mrs. McGahey Says Husband Broke Up Stove.

Charging that her husband forced her to leave her bed and sleep on the kitchen table, Mrs. Sarah McGahey has filed suit for divorce from Patrick McGahey in Circuit Court. The couple were married Aug. 20, 1890, and separated Aug. 14 last, according to the wife's petition.

Mrs. McGahey also alleges that her husband, in fits of anger, struck her with a broom, threatened to chastise her with a horsewhip and broke the stove to pieces, throwing pieces of it at her and causing hot coals to set fire to the carpet. She asks the custody of a 14-year-old boy.

Other divorce suits filed Friday were: Marie Cook Sterling against Howard Webster Sterling, Elizabeth against Gustave A. Milbradt and Frieda against John Lang.

Folk Will Name Educator.

Having accepted the presidency of Southwest Normal School at Springfield, W. T. Carrington, State Superintendent of Public Schools, will offer his resignation to Gov. Folk. Prof. Howard Gass, Supt. Carrington's assistant, is mentioned as a candidate for appointment for the brief remainder of the four years' term. The office is to be filled at the fall election.

PRETTY TELEPHONE OPERATOR AND HUSBAND HER VOICE WON



MISS CATHERINE A. ROBERTSON

JAMES FRANCIS MULLEN

CHURCH INDORSES GIRL KREIS SUED

Miss Mary Wilson, Whom Kisser Accused of Jilting Him, Honored.

Miss Mary J. Wilson of Jennings, St. Louis County, recently sued by "Kisser" Adolph Kreis for $10,000 damages for alleged breach of promise, will preside Sunday over the first session of the primary Sunday school department of Jennings Presbyterian Church, of which she has been elected superintendent.

The school has just been organized, and its first session will be held in Woodmen's Hall, the new church building not being completed.

Most of the members of the church attended the trial of Kreis' suit against Miss Wilson, and fervently congratulated her when the verdict in her favor was announced. When Kreis testified about kissing Miss Wilson under the mistletoe and about kissing both her parents without any such excuse, the members of the church manifested their disapproval of him so plainly that the Court had to call for order. They gave official indication of their attitude toward the case in electing Miss Wilson superintendent of the primary department of the new Sunday school.

Miss Wilson is organist of the church and president of auxiliary organizations.

Mexico Special.

New semi-weekly through solid vestibuled train (Tuesdays and Fridays) between St. Louis and City of Mexico, leaving Union Station, at 9 a. m. via

Iron Mountain Route,

beginning Tuesday, Jan. 16. Ticket office, 6th and Olive and Union Station.

NO BODY IN CEMETERY.

Forty Years Have Destroyed Coffins' Contents.

Permitted to build his residence on the site of the old Methodist Cemetery on Clayton road, on condition that he remove the bodies found in the cemetery, Fidelio Sharp, a St. Louis attorney, has reported to the County Board of Health that not a trace of a human body was found.

More than 80 graves were opened. In one or two instances portions of caskets were uncovered, but nothing else. The cemetery has not been used for more than 40 years. It was once used by some of the most prominent families in St. Louis.

WON HIS BRIDE BY TELEPHONE

Change of Positions Hastens Romance of Detective and Hello Girl.

James F. Mullen, house detective at Hotel Jefferson, could not disguise his love for Miss Catherine A. Robertson, chief telephone operator of the branch exchange. Everyone, from the bellboy to the head clerk, knew they were engaged to be married next June.

But when Mullen received a letter offering him a better position with a Pittsburg hotel, he persuaded his fiancee to consent to a wedding, and they were married Thursday at St. Alphonsus (Rock) Church. They left Friday evening for Pittsburg.

Mullen is 22 years old and his bride a year younger. Each had been employed at the hotel since the beginning of the World's Fair. Conversing with the chief operator over the hotel telephone one day, Mullen remarked that when Cupid began trailing a fellow he might as well throw up his hands and surrender; to which Miss Robertson abstractedly replied "busy," and disconnected him.

But the house detective was not so easily to be thrown off the track. He was persistent and finally landed his quarry. The only shackles were a little band of gold and a solitaire.

BUSINESS NOTICE.

As water feeds flowers, Satin Skin Cream nourishes the skin to health. 25c.

Fined for Striking Boy.

William McNichols was fined $10 by Judge Tracy in the City Hall Police Court Saturday for striking William Todd of 2342 Carr street, a newsboy. The assault, according to the testimony, was committed at Eleventh and Olive streets and was provoked by a contemptuous allusion to McNichols by Todd. McNichols denied that he had struck the boy.

Mamma's Pancake Flour, made under Government regulations. You know it is good.

Died From Burns.

An inquest was held over the body of Herman Jansen of 5121 McKissock avenue, who died at Lutheran Hospital, Ohio avenue and Potomac street, from burns. He was taken to the hospital by two unidentified men, who said he received the burns while at work in a soap factory at Benedict and Prairie avenues.

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Is your throat raw?
Do you sneeze often?
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Are your eyes watery?
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Is your nose stopped up?
Do you have to spit often?
Do crusts form in the nose?
Are you worse in damp weather?
Do you blow your nose a good deal?
Does your mouth taste bad mornings?
Do you have a dull feeling in your head?
Do you have to clear your throat on rising?
Is there a tickling sensation in your throat?
Do you have an unpleasant discharge from your nose?
Does the mucus drop into your throat from the nose?

NAME.....

ADDRESS.....



WHAT JOY THEY BRING TO EVERY HOME

as with joyous hearts and smiling faces they romp and play—when in health—and how conducive to health the games in which they indulge, the outdoor life they enjoy, the cleanly, regular habits they should be taught to form and the wholesome diet of which they should partake. How tenderly their health should be preserved, not by constant medication, but by careful avoidance of every medicine of an injurious or objectionable nature, and if at any time a remedial agent is required, to assist nature, only those of known excellence should be used; remedies which are pure and wholesome and truly beneficial in effect, like the pleasant laxative remedy, Syrup of Figs, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. Syrup of Figs has come into general favor in many millions of well informed families, whose estimate of its quality and excellence is based upon personal knowledge and use.

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